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TECH The first family settled into their new lives in the White House on Thursday as U.S. President Barack Obama won an important personal victory: He gets to keep his BlackBerry, the iconic device made by a Canadian high-tech company.

Obama will be the first sitting president to use e-mail, and he has been reluctant to part with his ever-present handheld device. Its use will be limited to keeping in touch with senior staff and personal friends, said White House spokesman Robert Gibbs.

"I've won the fight, but I don't think it's up and running," Obama said.

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Toronto tactical police officers leave the entrance of the Osgoode subway station Thursday where a man was shot.

Brazen shooting

Man hit in stomach and thigh at Osgoode subway station

The wounding of a teenager on a subway platform brought the city's gun problem to the heart of downtown in the middle of a business day Thursday.

While passing office workers gawked, heavily armed Emergency Task Force officers charged down the steps of the Osgoode subway station.

Immediately after the morning shooting, police officers responding to several 9-1-1 calls from Osgoode station found a 19-year-old man collapsed on the mezzanine, shot in the stomach and thigh. The victim was taken to St. Michael's Hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

As of last night, police continued to search for one suspect, described as male, black, between six-foot and six-foot-two and about 185 pounds.

The suspect was last seen wearing black pants, a black parka with a fur-trimmed hood, and a black Blue Jays ball cap bearing the team's new logo.

Surveillance photo of a suspect in Thursday's shooting.

Police said at least three shots were fired on the platform and the fight continued to the mezzanine level before the victim collapsed.

Calling Thursday's subway shooting "outrageous" and shocking, Toronto police Chief Bill Blair said the offenders were downright dumb to spar in such an open, heavily surveilled public space.

"It's a stupid place to commit such a crime, not only because they're more likely to be caught but because it endangers a lot of people," Blair said.

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Study urges blending of taxes

Harmonizing provincial and federal sales taxes would mean short-term pain for consumers, but long-term gain for the economy, according to a new Ontario Chamber of Commerce study.

Chamber president and CEO Len Crispino Thursday urged Ottawa and Queen's Park to blend the eight per cent provincial sales tax and the five per cent goods and services tax.

Harmony

• While Crispino conceded some prices would rise because certain items are taxed federally and not provincially — including books, feminine hygiene products, heating fuels and children's clothing — he said business would be "more productive" and save about $100 million per year.

Armed with a 102-page report to bolster his argument, Crispino said following the harmonization lead of Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Newfoundland would benefit Ontario's struggling economy.

"In a quick nutshell, harmonization really results in one base of taxation, one base of administration. There's one rate, there's one tax," he told a news conference.

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Teens held at gunpoint during home invasion
Two teenagers were held at gunpoint while a group of men ransacked their Markham home. The suspects are possibly of South Asian, Filipino, or Hispanic descent. They were between the ages of 18 and 30 and ranged in height from 5-foot-8 to 5-foot-11. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

Local

Groups call for increased EI support

A chorus of workers, community and business groups are calling for Prime Minister Stephen Harper, left, and the federal government to include substantial changes to the EI system when it unveils its federal budget in Ottawa next Tuesday. Under current rules, only 54 per cent of Canadians who lose jobs receive EI. Those who do are now entitled to no more than 55 per cent of their insurable earnings. That's down from 60 per cent in the 1980s. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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News in brief

CORRECTION The Lotto 6/49 numbers for Wednesday's draw were reported incorrectly. The correct Lotto 6/49 numbers for Wednesday's draw were: 8, 32, 34, 39, 43 & 48. Bonus 25. Metro regrets the error.

CRIME Police searched a Rexdale apartment building for two men after a home invasion Wednesday night. No arrests were made. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

Waiting for a match

Local launches stem cell campaign to save her life

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Shu Yi Fung knows how important and difficult it is to find a stem cell match to help cure her leukemia.

The Chinese-Canadian has been waiting for a donor for the past year and a half, in order to undergo a bone marrow transplant.

But with no match found among her siblings she faces a less than 10 per cent chance of finding a match, like other people of Chinese origin awaiting the procedure.

Comparatively, Caucasian patients have an 80 per cent success rate. That's because ethnic Chinese are direly underrepresented on worldwide donor networks.

In fact, less than 500,000 (or 4.2 per cent of Chinese) are registered, dramatically reducing the chances of doctors tracking down a match for transplant patients.

That's why Fung hopes her fellow Chinese can help by registering with OneMatch, a national stem cell and marrow network.

"It would be a very precious gift for us during our Chinese Lunar New Year," Fung said in a statement at a press conference.

"I'm appealing on behalf of all leukemia patients to all you healthy people."

It's a state of affairs that Other Half — Chinese Stem Cell Initiative, a group of concerned Chinese-Canadians spearheading this campaign, wants to change.

Partnering with OneMatch, the group is working to get the word out on how important it is for Canada's Chinese community to register on OneMatch's database.

Susan Go, co-chair of Other Half, says there are challenges to getting the urgency of its message out among the community.

"We realized that there are certain unique barriers we need to address right away," she says.

"First of all, Chinese Canadians don't think there is an urgency in this matter. Secondly, people are afraid to join the registry because they think that donating stem cells is a very painful process and risky to their health."

Still, Go says Chinese-Canadians are people who unite when there is a problem to solve — and she's confident they will answer this call for help.

"Our hope is that every Chinese who hears this message will take that step to register with OneMatch," she says. "Just think how good you would feel if you could save a life."

For more information, visit www.onematch.ca or www.chinesestemcell.ca.

BRIAN TOWIE/METRO TORONTO

Other Half co-chairs Susan Go, left, and Amy Tam get the word out about Chinese stem cell donations at a press conference in Toronto Thursday. The Chinese stem cell initiative group will appear at the Rogers Centre this weekend during Lunar New Year celebrations.

Other Half

- Other Half will have a booth open during the Chinese New Year event this weekend at the Rogers Centre where potential donors can register. The booth is open Friday, 4 p.m. to midnight, Saturday noon to midnight and Sunday noon to 2 a.m.

City council debates wage freeze

POLITICS With austerity talk all around, Toronto councillors will be asked next week to freeze their own salaries this year.

Coun. Case Ootes, who is proposing to hold councillors' annual salaries at 2008 levels — $96,805 — said politicians need to show leadership as plants close and workers lose their jobs.

"It's a small sacrifice. It's really no sacrifice," said Ootes (Ward 29, Toronto-Danforth). "It would give a message to the public and taxpayers that we take the terrible economic climate seriously."

Annual cost of living increases for Toronto politicians, always a controversial issue, are to be set Friday after the December consumer price index figures are released.

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Increase

- Last year, councillors got an automatic 1.9 per cent increase.

11 Hells Angels from GTA charged

CRIME Family members of almost a dozen Greater Toronto Area Hells Angels and alleged associates groaned in court as the bikers were ordered to stand trial on a variety of criminal organization and drug trafficking charges.

Among the 11 men ordered to stand trial was Robert Donald (Donny) Petersen, 61, Ontario spokesperson for the Hells Angels. Petersen has often irritated police with his public comments that Hells Angels are merely motorcycle enthusiasts.

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Police searching for Yorkdale Mall jewelry store robbers

At about 3:30 p.m. Thursday, four people, at least one carrying a handgun, walked into the Diamond Company store at Yorkdale Mall on Dufferin Street near Highway 401. They took jewelry from the display cases, then fled. No one was injured. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Honest Ed's heads back in time for discounts

SHOPPING With all the talk of a faltering economy, and economists predicting the worst recession since the 1930s, Russell Lazar — general manager of Honest Ed's — decided it was time to give the consumer a break.

Since Thursday, the deep discount department store at Bathurst and Bloor streets — which got its start in 1948 — has been offering prices reminiscent of the Depression on a selection of goods. Everything from handkerchiefs to men's underwear is on sale for mere pennies until Saturday.

"Everywhere you hear people are depressed, worried and out of work. So you think, what can you do to make people happy?" Lazar said. He came up with the idea of rolling back prices to Dirty Thirties levels. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Bargains

- Among the biggest sellers appeared to be toothbrushes and travel-size tubes of toothpaste, at a dime each, and men's briefs for 25 cents a pair.

'That wasn't justice'

Mother angry over 1-day jail sentence in death of daughter

Alice Dort says it's hard to tell her 12-year-old grandson why his aunt — her beloved daughter — is dead.

What's harder is explaining why the man who strangled Stephine Beck and dumped her body in a snowbank was sentenced to just one day in jail.

"To me that wasn't justice," Dort said yesterday as she stood outside the unfamiliar surroundings of a Toronto courthouse, snow drifting to the ground.

Beck's body was found March 4, 2007.

Dort travelled from her home in Nova Scotia's Annapolis Valley to be in the Ontario Court of Appeal as the Crown argued to have the sentence handed to construction worker Wayne Ryczak set aside. A protest rally also took place in St. Catharines, close to Beck's home.

Dort described her daughter as a compassionate person and animal lover whose true nature was erased by the label "sex trade worker." After high school, she got mixed up with a boyfriend who was into drugs and followed him to Ontario, where he acted as her pimp.

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Alice Dort, mother of slain Stephine Beck, talks to media at Osgoode Hall Thursday. Wayne Ryczak was sentenced to one day in jail after pleading guilty to manslaughter in the death of Beck.

She was 14 weeks pregnant and almost 30 years old when she died.

Ryczak, a 55-year-old first offender, had a dark side, too. Though known to use drugs and prostitutes, he told a court Beck was a stranger he found inside his trailer and he acted in self-defence when she attacked him with a lamp and, later, glass. He pleaded guilty last year to manslaughter.

The Crown had asked for a prison sentence of between seven and 10 years. Instead, Justice Stephen Glithero, left only with Ryczak's testimony, sentenced him to one day of incarceration, in addition to 30 months' credit for the 14 months and 10 days he spent in pre-trial custody.

Hoping "to see some justice" yesterday, Dort was instead trapped in a maze of emotions. "Anger. A lot of hurt. A bit of confusion. I don't really understand the process." TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Union makes counter-offer in York strike

DISPUTE The union representing striking York University workers made a counter offer a day after Premier Dalton McGuinty brought in Reg Pearson, Ontario's chief mediator, "to bang a few heads together" and resolve the 11-week impasse.

"We've made a comprehensive settlement offer," Tyler Shipley, spokesperson for CUPE 3903, said Thursday night.

He would not go into specifics, but said, "Job security remains the key priority and so is the issue of funding for graduate students."

These negotiations mark the fourth time the two sides are attempting to hammer out an agreement to end the strike that shut down campus on Nov. 6 when 3,400 teaching assistants, contract faculty and graduate assistants walked off the job.

Earlier in the day, Pearson, who shuttled between York University officials and the union representing its striking workers, said he was confident of a resolution.

"It's really an early stage in terms of discussion with the folks here but I'm hopeful," said Pearson. "I'm the eternal optimist." TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Issues

- The two sides remained in different rooms at a Vaughan hotel for most of the day Thursday and did not come face to face. Pearson said he was trying to get a handle on the issues and "see if there is any flexibility. I'm basically going through a process of discussion but it will take a lot of time," he said after meeting both sides for the first time.

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News in brief

STRIKE Premier Dalton McGuinty's refusal to legislate an end to the York University strike due to fear of a court challenge is just an "excuse," says Progressive Conservative Leader John Tory. McGuinty is ruling out an early recall of the legislature to introduce back-to-work legislation to resolve the dispute because of a landmark 2007 Supreme Court decision. "For reasons totally beyond me, he seems to be willing to make up any excuse not to act in the case of York University," Tory told reporters Thursday. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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Quebec law on common-law spouses challenged
A sensational court case in Montreal between a billionaire and his former common-law wife, an ex-model, could change Quebec law that gives common-law spouses no rights upon separation. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

Canada

Wind power gets a boost

The McGuinty government is expected to announce Friday another $1.3 billion worth of renewable-energy projects, most of it wind, as part of its ongoing effort to "green" up the province's power mix, the Toronto Star has learned. An announcement will reveal the results of a bidding process that began in October and aims to add at least another 500 megawatts of renewable electricity to the grid. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Man who poked holes in condoms acquitted

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COURTS A Dartmouth, N.S., man who put holes in his girlfriend's condoms in an attempt to get her pregnant didn't sexually assault her, a Nova Scotia Supreme Court judge ruled yesterday.

Craig Jaret Hutchinson, 38, had been charged with aggravated sexual assault in the case. Justice Gerald Moir acquitted him yesterday, ruling Hutchinson, who sabotaged the condoms after his girlfriend began suggesting she wanted to break up, didn't expose her to a "significant risk" of physical harm.

"The evidence suggests Mr. Hutchinson did something that was not only fraudulent, it was dastardly — but it does not prove sexual assault," Moir said.

"Whether it proves some other crime, I don't know."

Rae praises MacKay for stance on Khadr

Defence Minister Peter MacKay's suggestion the Canadian government might soften its opposition to the repatriation of Omar Khadr was a welcome sign that someone in the party is grappling with the issue, says Liberal MP Bob Rae.

"For one day, it showed the lights are on somewhere but not in the PMO."
Liberal MP Bob Rae

"For one day, it showed the lights are on somewhere but not in the PMO," Rae, his party's foreign affairs critic, said Thursday.

MacKay mused Wednesday that Canada would reassess its refusal to act on behalf of Khadr, the Canadian detainee at the U.S. military prison in Guantanamo Bay, sparking speculation the government was quietly signalling a change.

But Canada is not budging from its wait-and-see position, even though U.S. President Barack Obama signed an executive order yesterday to shut the prison down within the next year, government officials indicated yesterday.

A senior government official insisted the Canadian government intends to let the judicial process play out in the U.S. — despite Obama's actions, which signal that process is nearing its end.

"The government's position remains the same," the official said. "It hasn't changed in the last 24 hours."

A government source said MacKay was simply speaking his mind as a former prosecutor interested in the law and pointed out that as defence minister he has nothing to do with shaping policy on the file. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

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Amy Nugent, who makes art and crafts out of roadkill, poses for a photograph with a piece of her work titled Roadquill in Vancouver. The piece is made of approximately 30,000 quills from porcupines that were killed by vehicles.

Take pay cuts to help others: Layton

ECONOMY With the country facing the worst recession in 70 years, Canadians have tough choices to make — including, for some, taking pay cuts so others can continue to work, NDP Leader Jack Layton says.

"It's that courage of the Canadian people which makes our country strong. Let's match that quiet courage with smart investments for the future. Investments that build on our productivity, not squander our prosperity," Layton says in a speech to be delivered Friday to the Toronto Board of Trade.

It's that kind of courage workers will need "to take a pay cut so your friends at the plant can keep their job," Layton says in the 20-minute address. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

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Insider tip: Spoil yourself at one of London's 45 Michelin starred restaurants. There are great value deals to be had at lunch or pre-theatre fixed menus.

Explore the city

London has a variety of neighborhoods and attractions and where better to start than one of the eight Royal Parks in the capital. Head to Greenwich Park for the scenic views, or St James for the great atmosphere around Buckingham Palace, especially during the Changing of the Guard ceremonies.

Another great place to view the city is from the River Thames. Jump on either a City Cruise or Thames Clipper and float leisurely past iconic attractions like the Tower of London and the London Eye.

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Art for everyone

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Karthik Ramamurthy,
Hotel Manager,
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My favorite London attraction is the Tate Modern, located in a former power plant along the South Bank of the Thames; the giant space lends itself perfectly to contemporary art. It's also one of London's free attractions — so you can just pop in whenever the mood takes you!

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New study suggests massive tree die-off likely due to global warming

A study published Thursday in the journal Science has found that trees in old-growth forests are dying at twice their former rate and that climate change is the likely cause. The study examined 76 forest plots in the western U.S. and Canada to find out what they have in common. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

World

Blagojevich calls trial unfair

The governor of Illinois, Rod Blagojevich, left, told reporters yesterday that his impeachment trial on Monday is "a sham." He's accused of abusing power, circumventing hiring laws and defying General Assembly decisions. The governor may be without much of a defence team after one lawyer pulled out last week and two others withdrew after comparing the proceedings to a "lynching." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Cyclone, quake drive up global disaster toll

DEADLIEST Myanmar's devastating cyclone and central China's earthquake drove up the annual disaster death toll, causing most of the fatalities and making 2008 one of the deadliest years for natural disasters so far this decade, the United Nations said Thursday.

At least 235,816 people lost their lives in 321 disasters around the world last year, said the UN International Strategy for Disaster Reduction.

The death toll is more than three times the annual average from 2000 to 2007 — 66,812. Since 2000, only 2004 had a higher death toll — 241,647 pushed up by the Indian Ocean tsunami.

The world's disasters last year caused estimated damage of $181 billion.

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Obama orders Gitmo shut

Secret CIA prisons to close, harsh interrogation banned

U.S. President Barack Obama began overhauling U.S. treatment of terror suspects Thursday, signing orders to close the Guantanamo Bay detention centre, shut down secret overseas CIA prisons, review military war crimes trials and ban the harshest interrogation methods.

With his action, Obama started changing how the United States prosecutes and questions al Qaeda, Taliban or other foreign fighters who pose a threat to Americans — and overhauling America's image abroad, battered by accusations of the use of torture and indefinite detention of suspects at the Guantanamo prison in Cuba.

The centrepiece order would close the much-maligned Guantanamo facility within a year, a process with many unanswered questions that was a key campaign promise.

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U.S. Vice-President Joe Biden and retired military members applaud President Barack Obama in the Oval Office yesterday after Obama signed executive orders and a presidential directive.

In the other actions, Obama created a task force to recommend policies on handling terror suspects detained in the future.

He also required all U.S. personnel to follow the U.S. Army Field Manual while interrogating detainees. The manual explicitly prohibits threats, coercion, physical abuse and waterboarding, a technique that creates the sensation of drowning. However, a Capitol Hill aide says the administration also is planning a study of more aggressive interrogation methods that could be added to the Army manual — which would create a significant loophole.

Obama also ordered the CIA to close all its existing detention facilities abroad for terror suspects and directed the Justice Department to review the case of Qatar native Ali al-Marri, the only "enemy combatant" being held on U.S. soil. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

News in brief

TAINTED MILK A Chinese court sentenced two men to death and a dairy boss to life in prison on Thursday for producing and selling infant formula tainted with melamine. Six babies died and 300,000 others are suffering from kidney stones and other problems

U.S. DIPLOMACY Hillary Clinton took charge of the U.S. State Department on Thursday, proclaiming the start of a new era of robust U.S. diplomacy to tackle the world's crises and improve America's standing abroad. Before a cheering crowd of 1,000 people, the 67th secretary of state promised diplomats a difficult but exciting road ahead.

CHILDREN A delivery van hit a group of children walking from a library back to their daycare centre in New York City's busy Chinatown district Thursday, killing two and seriously injuring a third, authorities said.

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Ringing the cellphone alarm

Some data suggests increased brain tumour risk for kids

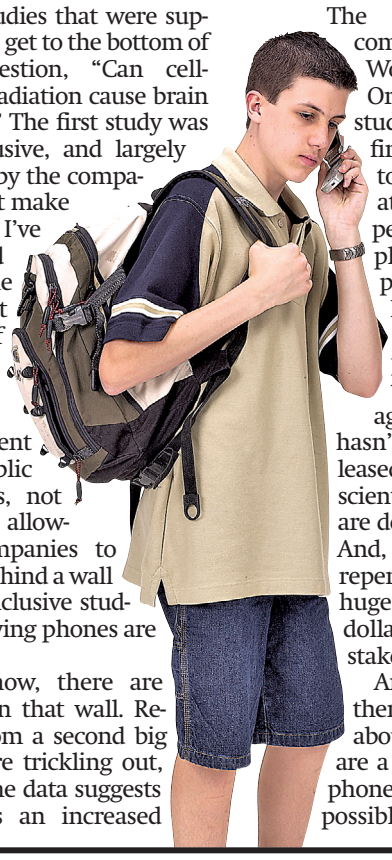
Marketplace

It's the dream toy of today's kids. Something they can use to play games. Text best friends. Download the latest Jonas Brothers ring-tone. And call mom. That's right, kids today want cellphones. A survey we did of 1,000 Canadian tweens shows that almost half of them already have a cellphone.

Parents like the idea, too. Companies are keen to market cellphones as a security tool, a way to stay on top of children's whereabouts. Some even come with GPS tracking.

Today's kids are set to become the longest-term users of cellphones, starting at younger ages than ever before. Great for the phone business, but some scientists are ringing a cautionary alarm bell.

I've been following the debate about cellphone safety for 15 years. During that time, there have been two huge studies that were supposed to get to the bottom of the question, "Can cellphone radiation cause brain cancer?" The first study was inconclusive, and largely funded by the companies that make phones. I've reported on the fact that most of the research money was spent on public relations, not science, allowing companies to stand behind a wall of inconclusive studies showing phones are safe.



But now, there are cracks in that wall. Results from a second big study are trickling out, and some data suggests there is an increased risk of brain tumours. Some scientists say this is cause for concern. Others say the data is flawed.

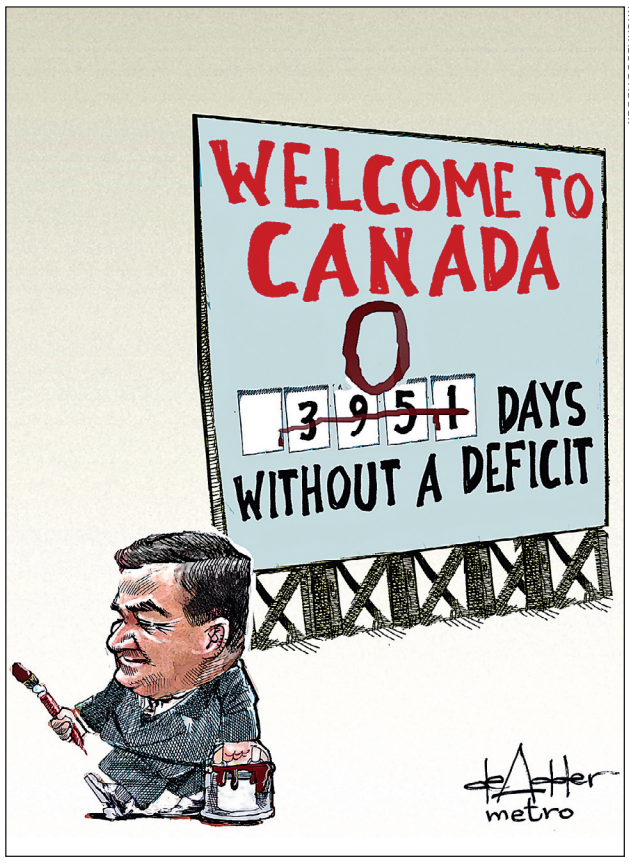
This isn't fringe science. The new data comes from a World Health Organization study. It's the first of its kind to take a look at what happens when people use cellphones over a long period. The final report was due three years ago, but it still hasn't been released because the scientists involved are deeply divided. And, of course, the repercussions are huge. Billions of dollars are at stake.

And that's why there is concern about kids. They are a growing cellphone market, and possibly more vulnerable to cellphone radiation. This year, a Swedish scientist released preliminary data that shows kids who start using phones in their teens have a five times higher risk of developing brain cancer.

In the last two years, warnings about kids using cellphones have been issued in Germany, the U.K., France, Belgium, Israel, Russia, India and Finland. But in Canada? Even though this new evidence is out, Health Canada still says, "There is currently no convincing evidence of serious health effects."

So, until the answer is clear, what should parents do? Cellphones are a useful tool, but kids could limit their use. Make shorter calls. And remember that phones do emit radiation, so try to hold it a few centimetres from your head. Until we know more, a little bit of caution can't hurt anyone.

Wendy Mesley is a co-host of CBC News: Marketplace, Canada's award-winning consumer affairs show, and a regular back-up host with CBC News: The National. CBC News: Marketplace airs each Friday night at 8:30 p.m. (9 p.m. NT) on CBC Television.



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Views

Programs, not cops, keep kids from crime

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Toronto is the safest large- or medium-sized city in Canada, and considerably safer than any city in the U.S. Crime in Toronto has been falling for the last nine years, as it has in other Canadian cities.

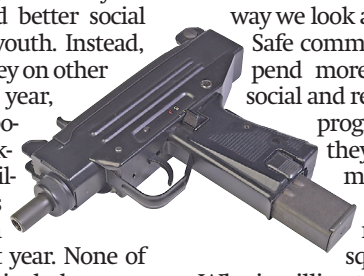
Low crime levels do not always reflect the public mood about crime, and in Toronto there's plenty of public concern about youth, guns and gangs, even though these crimes have also been falling.

This concern has led to two reports being released. Lawyer Julian Falconer headed up a committee, created after student Jordan Manners was found murdered in a school stairwell, which reported a year ago about making schools safer.

Former chief justice Roy McMurtry and Alvin Curling reported a few months ago in a document called Roots of Youth Violence about what could be done to reduce the damage caused by youth involved with gangs and guns.

Both reports concluded the key is not spending more money on police, but instead creating more and better social and recreational programs for youth. Falconer never recommended police officers be placed in schools. Roots of Youth Violence states there is an over-criminalization of incidents.

But our governments have trouble finding the money for these new and better social programs for youth. Instead, we spend money on other things. This year, the Toronto police force is asking for $850 million, which is $30 million more than last year. None of that large sum includes money for these social programs to assist youth — the police force and the Toronto Police Services Board are in the business of speaking up for more police, not for social programs. In all likelihood the police will get the money, which the experts agree won't resolve youth gang and gun problems, and youth will get the promises.



Somehow our governments have to change the way we look at policing. Safe communities depend more on good social and recreational programs than they do on more police officers in more squad cars.

Who is willing to stand up and say youth have more of a priority this year for that extra $30 million because we want to meet public concern about some youth being attracted to guns and gangs?

John Sewell is a former mayor of Toronto

Worth mentioning

Contract workers replacing staff in economic crisis

As the recession forces small businesses across the U.S. to cut expenses, some are making a dramatic shift — they're laying off employees and using independent contractors.

Back in 2006, Ron Gold had only full-time employees in his advertising agency, but business began to slip and he began using freelancers. Last year, he closed the agency and started a marketing services firm, using only independent contractors — some of whom used to be former staffers.

"The biggest problem was payroll taxes and employees."
Bonnie Harris

"It was not that we wanted to hurt anybody, but we needed to grow," said Gold, owner of Marketing Works in East Setauket, N.Y. He noted with employees, he had to keep paying them even when business was falling off and there wasn't as much work to do.

Bonnie Harris also began using independent contractors when her marketing business slowed in the summer of 2007. Until that point, she had four full-time employees as well as part timers.

"My business was really having a hard time and the biggest problem was payroll taxes and employees, carrying salary burdens," said Harris, owner of Wax Marketing in St. Paul, Minn. "I couldn't pay myself because I was paying these people."

So she began replacing her employees with independent contractors. The result: "2008 was our best year."

There are many benefits to hiring contractors rather than employees, and not just during a recession. Businesses don't have to pay for benefits and don't owe the government payroll taxes for contractors. When there's less work to be done, the contractor isn't paid, unlike the employee who draws a regular salary.

There are other pluses: Owners can hire different contractors for different projects, depending on workers' strengths and talents.

Owners might also want to consult a lawyer who specializes in employment law to be sure they don't run afoul of tax laws. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Business

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Swift end to recession?

Canada's central bank says the current recession will be deep and painful but relatively short-lived.

The Bank of Canada's first detailed economic analysis this year shows three-quarters of contraction in Canada, beginning last fall and continuing until mid-2009. The January-March quarter retreat will be particularly pronounced, with a 4.8 per cent annualized rate of decline.

But in a break with many private-sector economists, bank governor Mark Carney says Canada will start bouncing back as early as July, grow strongly next year at a 3.8 per cent clip and return to full capacity in mid-2011. "When recoveries come, they come sharply," he said.

Canada's recovery will be quicker than previous recessions in 1981-82 and 1990-92 and stronger than other G7 countries because of the relative health of the economy, Carney said. THE CANADIAN PRESS

"When recoveries come, they come sharply."
Mark Carney

Microsoft to slash 5,000 jobs

FIRST Microsoft Corp. said it is cutting 5,000 jobs over the next 18 months — more than five per cent of its workforce — starting with 1,400 on Thursday, a first for Microsoft.

The company, which has 94,000 employees including 900 in Canada, announced the cuts as it reported an 11 per cent profit drop in second-quarter profit. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

In brief

RETAIL Canadian retail sales posted their steepest monthly decline in more than a decade. Statistics Canada reported $34.9 billion in November sales. That was down 2.4 per cent from October, and 0.4 per cent below sales for November 2007. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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First prize: Being a training camp tackling dummy

Hall of Fame Dallas Cowboys receiver Michael Irvin is launching a reality TV show in which 12 "football neophytes" will compete for a spot on the Dallas Cowboys' training camp roster. The Cowboys confirmed that one of their 80 roster spots will go to the show's winner. METRO NEWS SERVICES

Sports

Venus bounced Down Under

Venus Williams was knocked out of the Australian Open Thursday, stunned by Spanish player Carla Suarez Navarro in the second round. Suarez Navarro rallied from 5-2 down in the third and saved a match point before beating Williams 2-6, 6-3, 7-5. There was no upset of top seeds Daniel Nestor of Toronto and Nenad Zimonjic of Serbia in their first-round doubles match. METRO NEWS SERVICES

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DeRo makes his way home to T.O.

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Toronto FC made it official yesterday when it announced the signing of midfielder and Canadian international Dwayne De Rosario.

This is Toronto — where it's rare a homegrown talent in any sport returns to play a starring role for the city he grew up in.

That may account for the roller-coaster ride over the last month. When Toronto FC announced in December that it had signed the three-time Canadian soccer player of the year, the reaction from fans and media went from positive to panic quickly. Where is he? Why hasn't he been introduced? Has he changed his mind?

Certainly, director of soccer operations Mo Johnston and the club made the mistake of announcing the signing before negotiations were finalized, but yesterday TFC put any lingering doubts to rest when it inked De Rosario to a four-year deal.

"I know they have huge fan support and I'm coming here to do the business to help Toronto first make the playoffs and potentially win a championship," De Rosario said.

It may be an uphill battle for the 30-year-old. A sub-par seven-goal performance last season has cast doubts on his brilliant career. The year before last he was MLS Cup MVP. "He's a winner. He's won the league championship four times. As the season goes on that experience is vital to the other guys in the dressing room," coach John Carver said.

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TFC head coach John Carver, left, new midfielder Dwayne De Rosario and managing director Mo Johnston on Thursday.

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While several Canadians are either not able or not interested in playing for their country at the World Baseball Classic in March, there's one who's quietly been busting his guts for the chance to participate.

In fact, after more than two seasons of inactivity because of post-concussion syndrome, Manitoban Corey Koskie is desperately trying to crack Team Canada's roster for what very likely would be his last hurrah. Metro has learned the ex-Blue Jays third baseman has an agreement in writing with general manager Greg Hamilton that stipulates he would be added to Team Canada's 45-man, preliminary roster if he is physically fit by Feb. 1.

"My wife and I have talked lots about this," Koskie said, "and we've agreed that (playing for Canada) would be a great way to retire."

Koskie, 35, revealed he has been working out daily and has received permission from the Minnesota Twins to train at their Florida camp in February if he gets a green light from Team Canada.

Koskie starred for the Twins from 1998 through 2004. He was the Jays' marquee free-agent acquisition for 2005 but struggled with injuries and was dealt to the Milwaukee Brewers after the season.

Concussions sidelined him for much of 2006 and all of 2007 and 2008.

If Koskie cracks Canada's final 28-man roster, he would back up Kansas City Royals' Mark Teahen at third base, Houston Astros' Chris Barnwell at shortstop, Washington Nationals' Peter Orr at second and Minnesota's Justin Morneau at first.

And quickies on the Toronto Argonauts:

Don't be surprised if they obtain Winnipeg quarterback Kevin Glenn. New Blue Bombers coach Mike Kelly has deemed Glenn expendable ... Kelly's predecessor, Doug Berry, applied to coach the Argos but was rejected ... And despite co-owner David Cynamon's attempts to downplay it, Michael Clemons is indeed out as the Argos' chief shot-caller — as reported here Tuesday — and will take a pay cut to serve as a club ambassador.

MLSE will reveal today that it's adding an all-soccer network to its empire. For details, visit online at metronews.ca/nhlreport.

Sports in brief

NBA According to a report in the New York Daily News, a deal that would send the Raptors' Jermaine O'Neal to Miami for Shawn Marion has progressed to the point where the teams have exchanged medical records on the players, usually a precursor to an imminent trade.

NBA Alonzo Mourning has decided to retire rather than mount another NBA comeback at age 38. The seven-time all-star centre said Thursday he won't return from a devastating leg injury Dec. 19, 2007 – the fourth anniversary of his lifesaving kidney transplant. "God willing I'll be able to live another 40 or 50 years, and I want to do it in a comfortable state," Mourning said.

Mourning

NHL Pittsburgh Penguins captain Sidney Crosby is skipping Sunday's NHL all-star game due to a left knee injury. Tampa Bay Lightning leading scorer Martin St. Louis replaces Crosby on the Eastern roster.

SKIING Swiss skier Daniel Albrecht sustained brain and lung injuries and was placed in an induced coma Thursday after crashing during downhill training in Austria.

FOOTBALL A Kentucky high school football coach was charged Thursday with reckless homicide in the death of a player who collapsed at practice in August. David Jason Stinson was indicted in the death of Max Gilpin. Stinson was directing practice when the heat index reached 34 C and the 15-year-old collapsed. The player had a temperature of 42 C when he arrived at the hospital, authorities said, and died three days later.

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Button tops Oscar noms Pg 14

The Curious Case of Benjamin Button was the big leader at the announcement of this year's Academy Awards, receiving 13 nominations — including best picture, best actor and best adapted screenplay.

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Inkheart's screen adaptation pales in comparison to novel

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New Pornographers frontman goes solo

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See why this revamped hybrid is making it into our hot list

Also opening this weekend

Underworld: Rise of The Lycans opens in theatres this Friday. As there were no press previews, there will be a review of the film in Monday's edition of Metro.

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Talking Oscars

What the stars are saying about their Academy nominations:

Brad Pitt

"This is a great honor for the movie, and I'm especially happy for David Fincher, for without him there would be no Ben Button."

— BRAD PITT, BEST ACTOR, THE CURIOUS CASE OF BENJAMIN BUTTON
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"My wife (Diane Lane) called me. It's her birthday and she said, 'It's the best present I could have gotten.' She sung me a happy nomination birthday song."

— JOSH BROLIN, BEST SUPPORTING ACTOR, MILK
PEOPLE.COM

Angelina Jolie

"Working with Clint Eastwood was a reward in itself that will last me a lifetime. It has been an excep-tional year for acting, and I am honoured to be in the company of these talented actors whose performances all deserve this recognition."

— ANGELINA JOLIE, BEST ACTRESS
USWEEKLY.COM

"It is such a thrill to be recognized in this category with these remarkably talented women. I was with my parents and my dog when I got the news and we were all overjoyed"

— ANNE HATHAWAY, BEST ACTRESS, RACHEL GETTING MARRIED
PEOPLE.COM

The race begins

Button, Slumdog lead Oscar nominations

The romantic fantasy The Curious Case of Benjamin Button led Academy Awards contenders Thursday with 13 nominations, among them best picture and acting honours for Brad Pitt and Taraji P. Henson, and a directing slot for David Fincher.

Other best-picture nominees are Frost/Nixon, Milk, The Reader and Slumdog Millionaire.

As expected, the late Heath Ledger had a supporting-actor nomination for The Dark Knight. But the Batman blockbuster was shut out from other top categories such as best picture and director.

Slumdog Millionaire lived up to its rags-to-riches theme, coming in second with 10 nominations, including a directing spot for Danny Boyle and two of the three song slots.

Pitt and real-life partner Angelina Jolie both will be going to the Oscars as nominees. Jolie had a best-actress nomination for the missing-child drama Changeling, while Pitt is up for his role as a man born old who ages backward toward childhood, an epic tale based on an F. Scott Fitzgerald story.

The acting categories were loaded with surprises. Kate Winslet won two Golden Globes, best dramatic actress for Revolutionary Road and supporting actress for The Reader. But she was nominated for lead actress at the Oscars for The Reader — and shut out for Revolutionary Road, as was Leonardo DiCaprio, who reunited with his Titanic co-star for the film.

(Clockwise from left) Slumdog Millionaire received 10 nominations; Gus van Sant's Milk picked up some major nominations, including best actor for Sean Penn; Anne Hathaway got a best actress nod for Rachel Getting Married; and Mickey Rourke was nominated for The Wrestler.

The 81st Annual Academy Awards

Actors considered long-shots also sneaked in, among them lead-actor nominee Richard Jenkins for The Visitor, best-actress contender Melissa Leo for Frozen River and supporting-actor pick Michael Shannon for Revolutionary Road.

Other best-actress nominees were Anne Hathaway for Rachel Getting Married and Meryl Streep for Doubt. It was a record 15th nomination for Streep, who already had more Oscar nominations than any other actor.

Joining Pitt and Jenkins in the best-actor category were Frank Langella, Frost/Nixon; Sean Penn, Milk; and Mickey Rourke, The Wrestler.

- The Oscars will be presented Feb. 22 at the Kodak Theater in Hollywood.

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Ledger's Joker strikes again

NOMINATION Last year's Oscar nominations day was tragic. This year's was bittersweet.

It was exactly one year ago Thursday when Heath Ledger was found dead in a New York apartment, just hours after the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences had announced its nominees. Outside the Soho building, a makeshift memorial of flowers and candles quickly accumulated.

The academy paid its own tribute to the actor Thursday by nominating him for best supporting actor, honouring his mad, incendiary performance as the Joker in The Dark Knight.

Many expect Ledger to win, which would make him only the second actor to posthumously win an Oscar following Peter Finch in 1976's Network.

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List of nominees

Best Picture

- The Curious Case of Benjamin Button; Frost/Nixon; Milk; The Reader; Slumdog Millionaire.

Best Actor

- Richard Jenkins - The Visitor; Frank Langella - Frost/Nixon; Sean Penn - Milk; Brad Pitt - The Curious Case of Benjamin Button; Mickey Rourke - The Wrestler.

Best Actress

- Anne Hathaway - Rachel Getting Married; Angelina Jolie - Changeling; Melissa Leo - Frozen River; Meryl Streep - Doubt; Kate Winslet - The Reader.

Best Supporting Actor

- Josh Brolin - Milk; Robert Downey Jr. - Tropic Thunder; Philip Seymour Hoffman - Doubt; Heath Ledger - The Dark Knight; Michael Shannon - Revolutionary Road

Best Supporting Actress

- Amy Adams - Doubt; Penelope Cruz - Vicky Cristina Barcelona; Viola Davis - Doubt; Taraji P. Henson - The Curious Case of Benjamin Button; Marisa Tomei - The Wrestler.

Best Director

- David Fincher - The Curious Case of Benjamin Button; Ron Howard - Frost/Nixon; Gus Van Sant - Milk; Stephen Daldry - The Reader; Danny Boyle - Slumdog Millionaire

Best Animated Feature

- Bolt; Kung-Fu Panda; WALL-E.

Best Foreign Language Film

- The Baader Meinhof Complex - Germany; The Class - France; Departures - Japan; Revanche - Austria; Waltz with Bashir - Israel

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Correction
The Uninvited opens in theatres across Canada on Jan. 30, not this Friday. An incorrect date appeared in Wednesday's issue of Metro.

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SAG Awards on Sunday

SHOW Stars of the five films nominated for best-cast honours at the Screen Actors Guild Awards will present their work in person at the ceremony Sunday.

Josh Brolin, James Franco and Emile Hirsch will introduce Milk at the 15th annual SAG Awards.

Amy Adams and Viola Davis will present Doubt, Frank Langella and Martin Sheen will have Frost/Nixon, Dev Patel and Frieda Pinto will offer Slumdog Millionaire and Taraji P. Henson is scheduled to go solo to introduce The Curious Case of Benjamin Button, which also stars Brad Pitt and Cate Blanchett.

The SAG Awards will be broadcast live on TNT and TBS at 8 p.m. EST.

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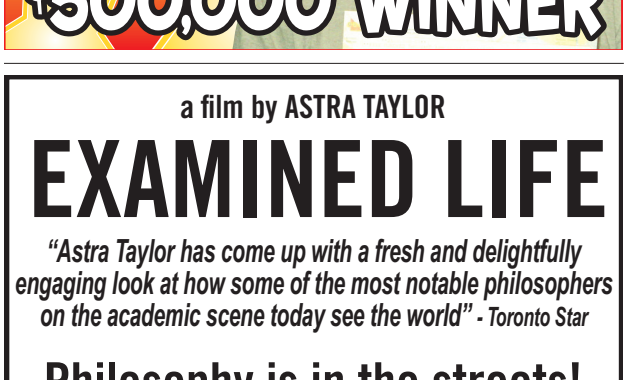

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Star pair about Town

Zellweger, Connick Jr. dish on rom-com

STEVE GOW
for Metro Canada

"I refuse to be upstaged by Mother Nature!" shouted actor-musician Harry Connick Jr. in a rattling West Hollywood hotel room recently. See, together with co-star Rénee Zellweger, he was promoting their latest movie when a California earthquake suddenly struck.

Only it didn't. After a few minutes and some nervous laughs, everyone realized the vibrations were in fact, due to some aggressive machinery on the floor below and indeed not Mother Nature.

Still, if nothing else, the impromptu moment gave us all a glimpse into the type of unrehearsed levity the pair had just experienced making their latest romantic-comedy New In Town — in theatres next Friday.

"The prospect of working with Renée and the idea I had about working with her (was what) really made me want to do it," says Connick Jr., before joking dryly: "Unfortunately none of the things I thought would happen happened, but still the idea of it was great."

The story of an ambitious executive (Zellweger) who temporarily relocates to Minnesota to shut down a plant run by a rugged union boss (Connick Jr.), New In Town was actually filmed in Winnipeg last year during a record-breaking cold snap. Like the earthquake-that-wasn't, the cast refused to let Mother Nature dampen their spirits.

Renée Zellweger plays an executive who goes to Minnesota to shut down a plan in the romantic comedy New In Town.

Movie **feature**

"I don't think there was a day when we weren't laughing until our eyelids were frozen together from tears."
Renée Zellweger on shootin in Manitoba

"I don't think there was a day when we weren't laughing until our eyelids were frozen together from tears," said Zellweger, adding that such extreme weather may have actually helped bond the group.

As for living in Manitoba over the winter, Zellweger was happy to remain "new in town" herself and admits, like her character, she too lacks a certain doggedness to reside in climates where the temperature is low and the snow is deep.

"The tenacity of the people was just so impressive. To me, when you look outside, you think, 'where's the road? I guess there's no driving today?' but that's not the case," said a surprised Zellweger. "Everybody just gets up and gets on with it like it's normal."

Inkheart better on page than screen

Inkheart
Director: Iain Softley
Stars: Brendan Fraser
Classification: STC
Rating: ½

STEVE GOW
for Metro Canada

REVIEW In his new movie Inkheart, Brendan Fraser utters this slice of reverberating dialogue: "The written word is a powerful thing. Better be careful with it."

Nowhere is this perhaps better demonstrated than in the new fantasy adaptation of Cornelia Funke's hit novel in which Fraser — as bookbinder Mo Folchart — possesses the supernatural ability to bring fictional characters to life just by reading them aloud.

Brendan Fraser stars in Inkheart.

Sure, that might sound like a cool party trick but while Folchart uncovered his talent reading a tome called Inkheart, he also discovered that a real person is traded in reciprocation — namely, his wife.

Now, a decade later, the only way to rescue her is to find a copy of Inkheart and read her back out of the novel.

Along the way, Folchart and his daughter (Eliza Bennett) meet a dizzying array of characters including the book's desperate hero (Paul Bettany), a conspiring antagonist called Capricorn as well as flying monkeys, a unicorn, Rapunzel and Toto from The Wizard of Oz. It would all be deliciously surreal if it weren't under the guise of a nonsensical family film.

While director Iain Softley is able to engage with big epic stunts and grand effects, Inkheart ironically loses its audience with a convoluted story that never fully satisfies many of its own questions. The notion of swapping real folks with characters in a book is intriguing, but the film never fully gives it reason.

As Folchart states, the written word is a powerful thing. Indeed, after sitting through Inkheart, one can only imagine just how much more effectual Funke's written words must be at getting the point across.

Sex and the City stars agree to sequel, report says
Us Weekly reports in its newest issue that Sarah Jessica Parker, 43, Kim Cattrall, 52, Cynthia Nixon, 42, and Kristin Davis, 43, have agreed to appear in the sequel to Sex and the City: The Movie. USWEEKLY.COM

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Wendy's quiet clarity

Movie **feature**

ADAM NAYMAN
for Metro Canada

Of all the contemporary North American directors whose work can be said to have a clear artistic voice, Kelly Reichardt is the one who seems least likely to raise it.

Like 2005's superb Old Joy, Wendy and Lucy — which stars Michelle Williams as Wendy, a drifter who becomes stranded in a small Oregon town after she loses her canine companion — has a hushed quality that stands in inverse proportion to the growing buzz behind it.

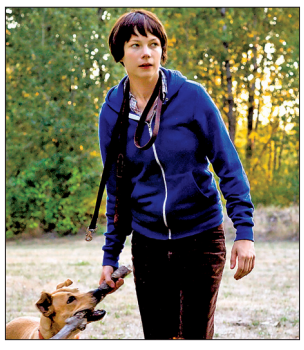
This past December, the Toronto Film Critics Association selected it 2008's best film, and it showed up on numerous best of the year lists.

Reichardt's patient, focused style, which eschews fast cutting and favours silence over manipulative musical cues, may be the aesthetic equivalent of a whisper, but the director speaks firmly and plainly about her film's political undercurrents.

She and co-screenwriter Jonathan Raymond (with whom she also collaborated on Old Joy) came up with the basic premise of Wendy and Lucy while watching television coverage of the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina.

"There was a lot of talk, a lot of right-wing perception that if the people in New Orleans hadn't 'made themselves so vulnerable,' they wouldn't be in such bad shape," she says. "So we started off with the question: How can you pull yourself up?

"What about somebody who doesn't have a net beneath them — no family support, no trust fund, no college education — but does have the spirit to make their life better? Can that person get a toehold into the middle-class in America? Is that idea of work really available to everybody? And from there, we played off of the road movie genre and the idea of making one's fortune by 'going west.'"


Michelle Williams plays Wendy in Wendy and Lucy.

Exactly why our heroine has decided to go on the road is never specified, an omission that is in keeping with Reichardt's affinity for narrative ambiguity.

"I didn't want to load up the film with back-story," she says, "and I didn't think it mattered. As with Old Joy, I wanted to give the audience some space, with is appealing to me. Wendy's circumstances aren't that important.

"There are so many different ways that people fall out — sickness, a fire, a flood, a lack of opportunities — and we thought it was more important where she was heading to."

As for the decision to add a dog to what is otherwise a one-woman show, Reichardt cites her own experiences travelling across the United States.

"I spend a lot of time driving around with Lucy, on various excursions around the country. It is very different than being alone. It's real companionship. If you're socially awkward and find social situations stressful, it's a very easy kind of company. It doesn't tax you. And I think that Wendy is somebody who isn't really socially engaged."

• Wendy and Lucy opens in Toronto next Friday.

Philosophy comes alive in Examined Life

Examined **Life**

Director: Astra Taylor
Classification: STC
Rating: ●●●

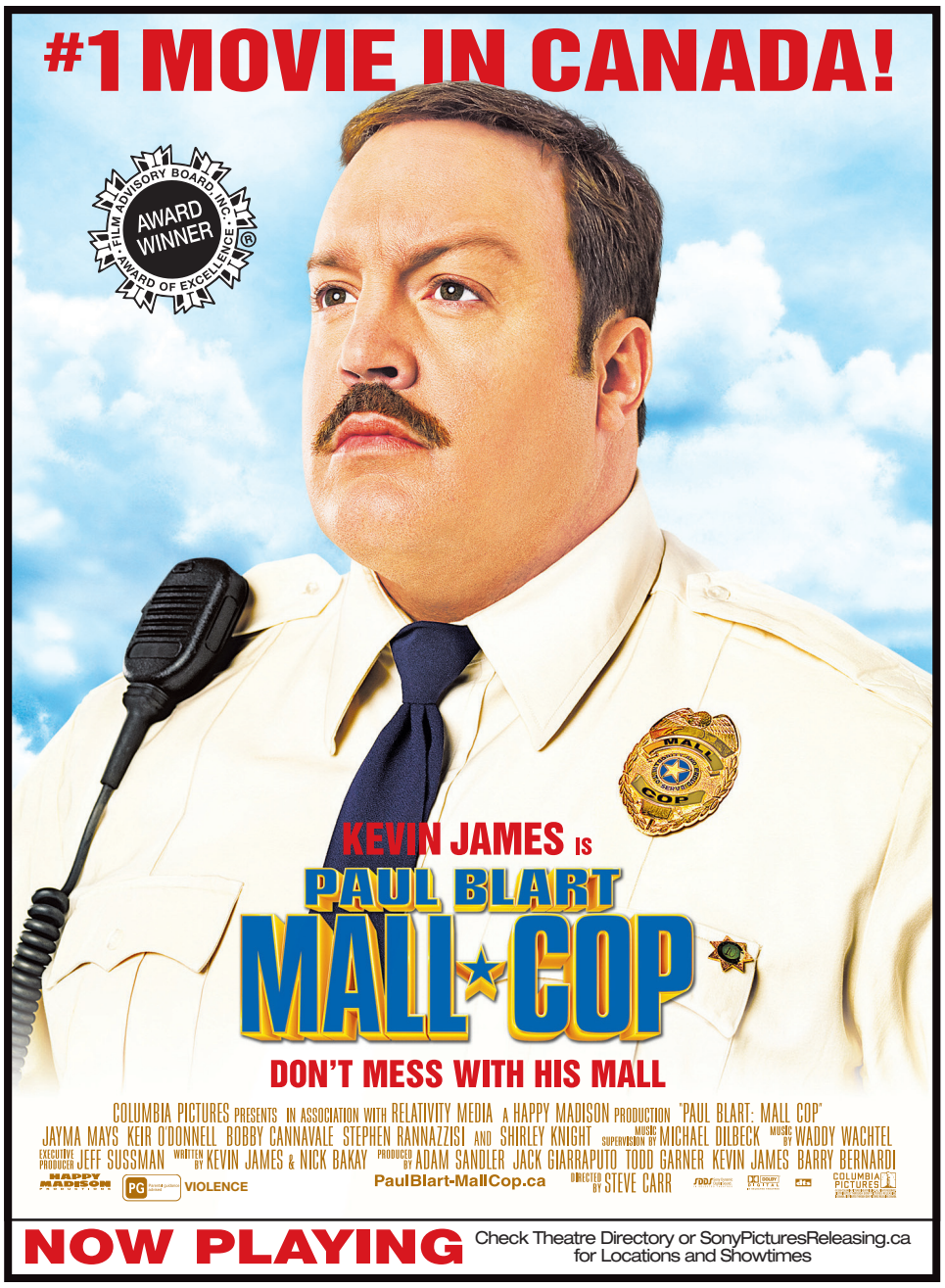
ADAM NAYMAN
for Metro Canada

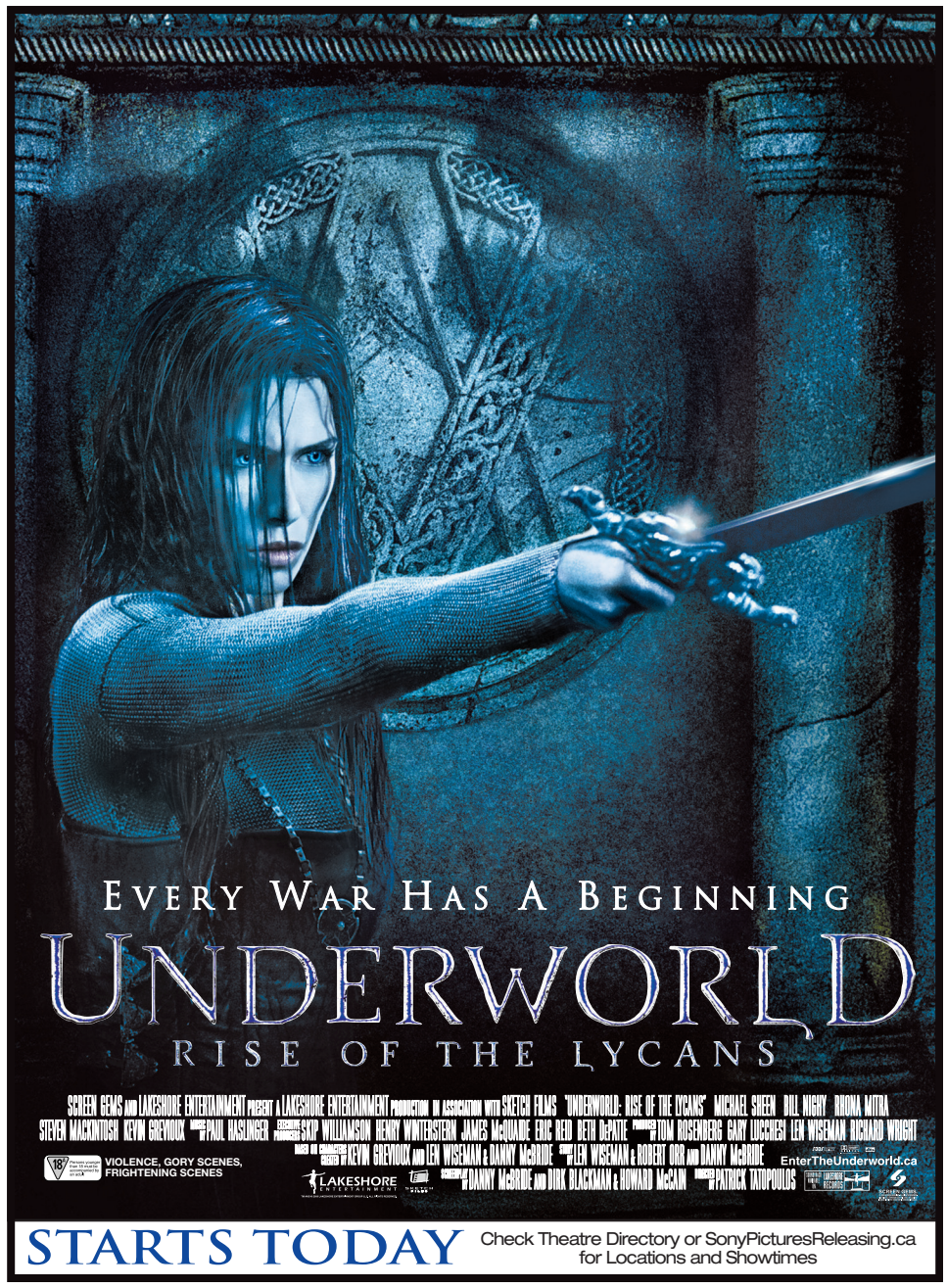
REVIEW Astra Taylor follows up her 2005 profile-documentary Zizek! by inviting the excitable Slovenian theorist — and seven other high-end thinkers from Cornel West to Judith Butler — on a series of "philsopher's walks" in which they're asked to expound on such small, mundane subjects as the social contract, the possibility of revolution and that old chestnut: The meaning of life.

They may not solve that last one (heck, not even the certified geniuses in Monty Python managed that) but their observations are generally stimulating stuff. And Taylor keeps Examined Life from becoming the filmed equivalent of a book on tape by paying attention to the various environments surrounding her subjects.

For example, West's rollicking discourse on mortality, filmed in the back of a moving car, seems to stop and start in perfect herky-jerky rhythm with the NYC traffic; Slavoj Zizek's reputation for salvaging swashbuckling insight out of cultural detritus justifies his initially giggle-worthy backdrop.

Taylor's refusal to insert power-point style graphics (a la What the Bleep do we Know Know) as a correlative to the rather dense theories on offer might limit the film's commercial potential, but it buttresses the integrity of her premise — that in an era of consciously dumbed-down movies (and media) intellectual fireworks are more compelling than visual effects.





Dakota Fanning joins Twilight sequel

Dakota Fanning ... with fangs? Eonline.com is reporting the 14-year-old has been cast to play Jane opposite Robert Pattinson in New Moon, the upcoming sequel to box office megahit Twilight. EONLINE.COM

Reel Time

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A trip through all things mushroom

CHRIS ALEXANDER
for Metro Canada

Delving deep into the world of edible and medicinal fungus may not seem like the ideal concept for populist entertainment but then again, Toronto filmmaker Ron Mann has never really cared about chasing commercial trends.

Investigative pictures like Comic Book Confidential, Tales of the Rat Fink and Grass all bear the hallmark of Mann's curiously creative, counter-culture aesthetic and his latest effort, the supremely entertaining Know Your Mushrooms — playing in Toronto to next Friday — is no exception.

Mann's rambling and lyrical love letter to toadstools of every persuasion ventures into the arcane wilds of the Telluride Mushroom Festival and is more fun(gi) than a bucketful of basidiomycota.

"The idea for the film came from a conversation I had with cult filmmaker Jim Jarmusch," Mann reveals. "Jim was rattling off these crazy facts about mushrooms to me and how they sustain the planet. He suggested I visit Telluride to see what it was all about. I couldn't resist."

Upon reaching the annual Colorado spore celebration, Mann and his skeleton crew encountered a cavalcade of eccentric fungus fans who flock to the mushroom dense resort town every year to gather, define and, of course eat, as many mushrooms as they can get their mitts on.

"There'0s been a cultural and scientific fascination with mushrooms throughout history." notes the filmmaker about his sanguinary subject. "They're like these alien beings. But before I started this journey, other than putting them on my pizza, I had no idea about the wild varieties and the healing properties they have."

The most compelling character in the film is Larry Evans, a wild eyed posthippie who has devoted his entire life to the study of the mushroom. Often thought of as a kind of Indiana Jones of psilocybin, Evans becomes Mann's protagonist, a tireless crusader for all things shroom. Like all of Mann's celebrated films, Know Your Mushrooms is ultimately a personal piece of work, one that stems from a questing desire to examine alternative subcultures.

"I'm fascinated by following people who are dedicated to something," he says. "And man, did I ever find them in Telluride."

Toronto filmmaker Ron Mann's Know Your Mushrooms explores the world of edible and medicinal fungi.

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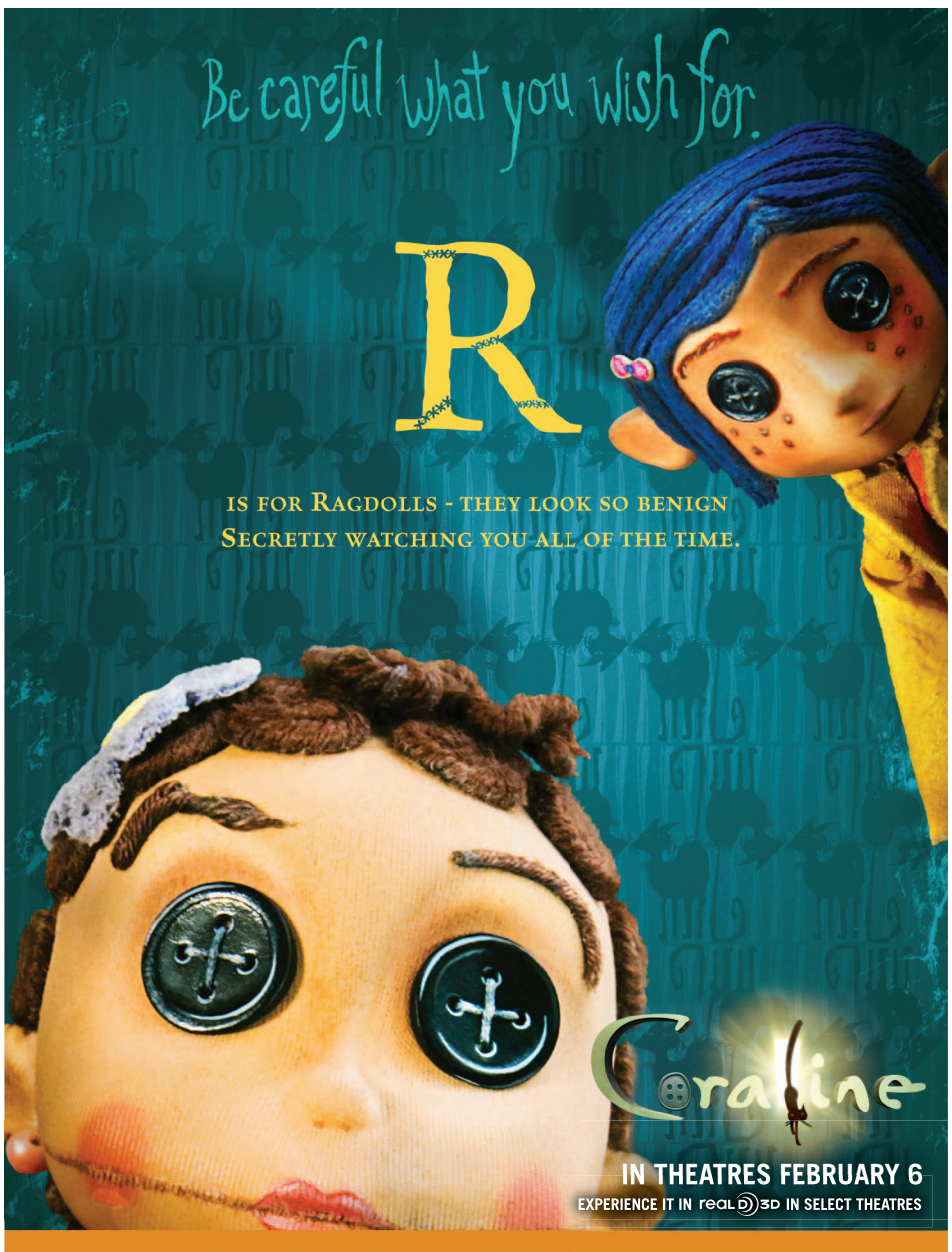

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Images of Liverpool
Liverpool's iconic filmmaker Terence Davies' works will be presenetd in a retrospective starting Friday at Cinematheque Ontario. Davies' new film Of Time and The City will also be part of the series.

Reel Time

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Saving Brendan Fraser

InFocus

Richard Crouse
mrchaos33@hotmail.com

Critics used to love Brendan Fraser. Early on Roger Ebert called him "subtle and attuned" and Barbara Ellen in The Times raved that he was "a revelation — so measured, suave and intrinsically watchable."

That was then. This is now.

Lately the tone of his reviews has taken a turn. "Noticeably uninvolved" and "worn out" are just two descriptions of his current work in movies like The Mummy: Tomb of the Dragon Emperor. One blogger even wrote, with simple hatful eloquence, "His face makes me angry."

I thought of this as I watched Inkheart. A big budget fantasy adventure, it encapsulates everything that's wrong with Fraser's career. It's another forgettable performance in an unremarkable movie that allows the premise and the CGI to overshadow everything else. According to av club.com, in recent years this guy has spent so much time in front of a green screen "his children probably have traces of CGI in their DNA."

Of course Fraser would counter that he's not making films for the critics, but judging by the gross of the last Mummy movie, he's not making them for audiences either.

But let's put the snarkiness aside for a moment and remember a time when Fraser was actually considered a real actor. Years before he discovered the financial benefits of emoting in front of a green screen he made small, interesting, character-driven films.

Brendan Fraser's latest movie Inkheart is a good example of what's wrong with his career, says columnist Richard Crouse.

For example, in Gods and Monsters Fraser played Clay Boone, a young straight ex-Marine who forms a bond with James Whale, the elderly gay director of Frankenstein played by Ian McKellen. Fraser's take on Clay is complicated but sympathetic as he forms a platonic relationship with the older man who becomes the father figure he never had. In this film Fraser holds his own against the masterful McKellen.

The Quiet American sees Fraser as Alden Pyle, an idealist who must learn to deal with moral ambiguity. Again his work is well crafted and thoughtful.

Further acting high points include the image obsessed district attorney in Crash; and Journey to the End of Night's Paul, a degenerate gambler who double-crosses his father and tries to run off with the cash.

Not since Orson Welles voiced commercials for a frozen pea company has one actor squandered his talent so flagrantly, so let's remember Fraser for the good ones — the ones listed above as well as 1997's Still Breathing — and hope that he gets over his green screen addiction sooner rather than later.

Richard Crouse is the author of Son of the 100 Best Movies You've Never Seen and film critic for CTV's Canada AM.

Sticks lost in translation

Welcome to **the Sticks**

Director: Dany Boon
Stars: Kad Merad, Dany Boon
Classification: STC
Rating: ●●○○○

PHIL BROWN
for Metro Canada

REVIEW Welcome To The Sticks comes to North America as France's highest grossing film. Dany Boon's tale of an uptight urbanite from southern France who is forced to move to a small village in the north might have native viewers keeling over in hysterics, but sadly most of the comedy is lost in translation.

Much of the film's humour is so regionally specific that it will provoke little more confused stares from international audiences. With a running gag based on how the locals pronounce the French language, subtitles are not this movie's friend.

The film stars Kad Merad as Philippe, a post office manager so desperate for a transfer to a beautiful locale that he attempts to trick his superiors into thinking he's handicapped. After some admittedly inspired wheelchair slapstick, Philippe is quickly sent to a rural outpost as punishment.

Though he initially fears his new surroundings, he soon discovers that "hey, northerners are nice people after all" (ain't that sweet?). It's all pretty predictable stuff, but the North vs. South comedy clearly played as well with the French as Bon Cop, Bad Cop did with Canadians. However, just like our highest grossing domestic film, Welcome To The Sticks won't have the same life internationally.

Dany Boon is clearly trying to craft a French Local Hero, but his film just doesn't have the same universal appeal. Sure, the ultimate message of both movies is the same, but Boon's love of broad physical humour prevents his film from being anywhere near as realistic or touching.

This Weekend Go B.I.G.

Rolling Stone
"A new star is born in Jamal Woolard, who defines what it means to hypnotize in this compulsively watchable biopic of rap icon Biggie Smalls."
Peter Travers

The Hollywood Reporter
"Riveting. The first gotta-see movie of 2009."
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A Christmas Tale (14A) Fri 4 Sat 9:20 Sun 6:30 Mon 9:20 Tue 4
From Russia With Love (STC) Tue 7
GoldenEye (STC) Wed 9:30
Goldfinger (STC) Sat 2:15
Happy-Go-Lucky (14A) Fri 7 Sat 4:30 Sun 4 Mon 7
Hard Target (STC) Thu 7
Hunka Junk 6 (STC) Fri 11:45
JCVD (14A) Thu 9
Let the Right One In (14A) Fri 9:30 Sat 7 Sun 9:20 Mon 4:30 Tue 9:15
The Living Daylights (STC) Wed 7 Thu 4:30
Man on Wire (PG) Sun 2

CARLTON
20 Carlton St., 416-598-2309

The Boy in the Striped Pajamas (14A) Fri-Thu 1:50-4:30-6:40-9
Happy-Go-Lucky (14A) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:15-7-9:35
I've Loved You So Long (French w/e.s.t.) (14A) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:20-7:15-9:45
JCVD (14A) Fri-Thu 1-3:45-7:25-9:30
Rachel Getting Married (14A) Fri-Thu 1:15-3:50-7:20-10
Synecdoche, New York (14A) Fri-Thu 1:20-4-6:50-9:20
Valkyrie (PG) Fri-Thu 1:25-4:10-7:10-9:40
Vicky Cristina Barcelona (14A) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:05-6:45-9:10
Waltz With Bashir (Hebrew w/e.s.t.) (18A) Fri-Thu 2-4:40-7:30-9:50

CUMBERLAND CINEMAS
159 Cumberland Ave., 416-646-0444

The Class (PG) Fri-Thu 12:45-4-7:10
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:40-7:15-9:50
The Reader (14A) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:40
The Wrestler (14A) Fri-Thu 1-3:45-6:45-9:30

SCOTIABANK THEATRE
259 Richmond St., 416-368-5600

The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri 2-6:20-10 Sat 12:35-6:20-10 Sun 2-6:20-10 Mon-Thu 12:25-4:05-8
The Dark Knight: The IMAX Experience (14A) No Passes Fri 12:15-3:30-7-10:30 Sat 12:15-3:30-7-10:30 Sun 12:01-3:30-7-10:30 Mon-Thu 12:15-3:30-7-10:30
Gran Torino (14A) Fri-Thu 12:20-3:10-6:15-9
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Inkheart (PG) Fri-Sat 12:50-3:50-6:40-9:20 Sun 12:50-3:50-7-9:20 Mon-Thu 12:50-3:50-6:40-9:20
Larger Than Life (STC) Wed 7
Marley & Me (PG) Fri-Sat 1:40-4:20-7:20-10:10 Sun 1:40-4:20-9:40 Mon-Wed 1:40-4:20-7:20-10:10 Thu 4:20-7:20-10:10
Metropolitan Opera: Orfeo ed Euridice - Gluck (STC) Sat 1
My Bloody Valentine 3D (18A) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:45-7:10-9:50
Notorious (18A) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:15-10:15
Twilight (PG) Fri 12:30-3:20-6:25-9:40 Sat 4:10-7:05-10:05 Sun 12:30-3:20-6:25 Mon-Tue 12:30-3:20-6:25-9:40 Wed 12:30-3:20-10:20 Thu 12:30-3:20-6:25-9:40
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80 Front St., 416-494-9371

The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri-Thu 8:30
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The Tale of Despereaux (G) Fri 1:50-4:15 Sat-Sun 11:35-1:50-4:15 Mon-Thu 1:50-4:15
Welcome to the Sticks (PG) Fri 2:10-4:40-7:10-9:25 Sat-Sun 12-2:10-4:40-7:10-9:25 Mon-Thu 2:10-4:40-7:10-9:25
Yes Man (PG) Fri 2:15-4:40-7:15-9:45 Sat-Sun 11:25-2:15-4:40-7:15-9:45 Mon-Thu 2:15-4:40-7:15-9:45

WEST END

ALBION CINEMAS
1530 Albion Rd., 416-742-3456

Chandni Chowk to China (PG) Fri-Sun 3-6-9:15 Mon-Thu 6-9
Raaz: The Mystery Continues (STC) Fri-Sun 3:30-6:15-9 Mon-Thu 6:30-9:15

QUEENSWAY
1025 The Queensway, 416-503-0424

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri-Sat 12:35-3:15-6:15-9:25 Sun 12:35-3:15-6:15 Mon-Thu 12:35-3:15-6:15-9:25
Bride Wars (PG) Fri-Thu 2:05-4:45-7:35-10:10
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri-Thu 12:15-4-8
Defiance (14A) Fri-Thu 12:10-3:30-6:55-10:05
Gran Torino (14A) Fri-Tue 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40 Wed 3:40-6:40-9:40 Thu 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:25-6:45-9:45
Inkheart (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:15-7:20-10:20
Larger Than Life (STC) Wed 7
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:30-8:05-10:45
Marley & Me (PG) Fri-Thu 12:20-3:20-6:20-9:20
Metropolitan Opera: Orfeo ed Euridice - Gluck (STC) Sat 1
My Bloody Valentine 3D (18A) Fri-Thu 2-4:50-7:50-10:30
Notorious (18A) Fri-Thu 12:50-4:05-7:15-10:25
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri-Tue 1-3:45-6:30-9:15 Wed 3:45-6:30-9:15 Thu 1-3:45-6:30-9:15 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Revolutionary Road (14A) Fri-Thu 1:15-4:20-7:30-10:40
Slumdog Millionaire (14A) No Passes Fri 12:25-3:35-7:10:15 Sat 12:25-3:55-7:10:15 Sun-Thu 12:25-3:35-7:10:15
The Tale of Despereaux (G) Fri-Thu 2:10
The Unborn (14A) Fri-Thu 5-7:55-10:15
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:45-10:35
Valkyrie (PG) Fri 12:45-3:50-7:05-10 Sat 3:50-7:05-10 Sun 12:45-3:50-10 Mon 12:45-3:50-7:05-10 Tue 3:50-7:05-10 Wed 12:45-3:50-10 Thu 12:45-3:50-7:05-10
The Wrestler (14A) Fri-Thu 12:05-3:10-6:25-9:30
WWE: Royal Rumble (STC) Sun 8

WOODBINE CENTRE
500 Rexdale Blvd., 416-213-1998

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri-Thu 1:15-3:55-7:10-9:25
Bride Wars (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-3-5:15-7:30-9:40
Frost/Nixon (PG) Fri-Thu 1-4-7-9:30
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri-Thu 12:30-2:45-5-7:15-9:25
Notorious (18A) Fri-Thu 12:55-4-6:45-9:30
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri-Thu 12:40-2:55-5:10-7:25-9:35
The Unborn (14A) Fri-Thu 12:35-2:35-4:45-6:55-9:10

EAST END

BEACH CINEMAS
1651 Queen St. E., 416-699-5971

The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri 4:30-8:15 Sat 3:40-8:15 Sun 12:50-4:30-8:15 Mon-Thu 8:15
Gran Torino (14A) Fri 3:50-6:40-9:20 Sat-Sun 1-3:50-6:40-9:20 Mon-Thu 6:40-9:20
Inkheart (PG) Fri 4:20-7-9:50 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:20-7-9:50 Mon-Thu 7-9:50
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri 4-7:10-9:40 Sat-Sun 1:10-4-7:10-9:40 Mon-Thu 7:10-9:40
Metropolitan Opera: Orfeo ed Euridice - Gluck (STC) Sat 1
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri 4:40-7:30-10 No Passes Sat-Sun 1:50-4:40-7:30-10 No Passes Mon-Thu 7:30-10
The Wrestler (14A) Fri 4:10-6:50-9:30 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:10-6:50-9:30 Mon-Thu 6:50-9:30

FOX THEATRE
2236 Queen St. E., 416-691-7330

The Boy in the Striped Pajamas (14A) Wed-Thu 9
Changeling (14A) Sat 6:30 Sun 4 Mon 6:45
The Graduate (STC) Tue 9
High School Musical 3: Senior Year (G) Sat-Sun 1:30
Let the Right One In (14A) Fri 9 Sat 4-9:15 Sun 9 Mon 9:15
Quantum of Solace (PG) Wed 2
Religulous (14A) Wed-Thu 7
Stand by Me (STC) Tue 7
Vicky Cristina Barcelona (14A) Fri 7 Sun 7

NORTH YORK

SHEPPARD GRANDE
4861 Yonge St., 416-590-9974

The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri 4:30-8:15 Sat-Sun 12:45-4:30-8:15 Mon-Thu 4:30-8:15
Doubt (PG) Fri-Sat 3:40-6:20-9 Sun 1-3:40-6:20-9 Mon-Tue 3:40-6:20-9 Wed 3:40-9:45 Thu 3:40-6:20-9
Gran Torino (14A) Fri 4:20-7:30-10:10 Sat 1:30-4:20-7:30-10:10 Sun 1:30-4:20-7:30-10 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:30-10
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri 4-6:30-9:15 Sat-Sun 1:15-4-6:30-9:15 Mon-Thu 4-6:30-9:15
Inkheart (PG) Fri 4:10-7-9:40 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:10-7-9:40 Mon-Tue 4:10-7-9:40 Wed 4:10-9:40 Thu 4:10-7-9:40
Larger Than Life (STC) Wed 7
Marley & Me (PG) Fri-Sat 4:05-6:50-9:50 Sun 1:25-4:05-6:50-9:50 Mon-Thu 4:05-6:50-9:50
Metropolitan Opera: Orfeo ed Euridice - Gluck (STC) Sat 1
Milk (14A) Fri 4:25-7:15-10:05 Sat 12:55-4:25-7:15-10:05 Sun 12:55-4:25-7:15-9:55 Mon-Thu 4:25-7:15-9:55
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri 4:40-7:10-10 Sat 2-4:40-7:10-10 Sun 2-4:40-7:10-9:45 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:10-9:45
Slumdog Millionaire (14A) No Passes Fri 3:50-6:40-9:30 Sat-Sun 1:10-3:50-6:40-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:50-6:40-9:30
Valkyrie (PG) Fri 3:45-7:20-10:15 Sat 12:50-3:45-7:20-10:15 Sun 12:50-3:45-7:20-10 Mon-Thu 3:45-7:20-10

EMPRESS WALK
5095 Yonge St., 416-223-9550

Bride Wars (PG) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri 4:30-7:15-9:20 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sat 1:40-4:30-7:15-9:20 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sun 1:40-4:30-9:20 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Mon-Thu 4:30-7:15-9:20
Defiance (14A) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri 4-7:10 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sat-Sun 1-4-7:10 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Mon-Thu 4-7:10
Frost/Nixon (PG) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri 3:50-6:45-9:30 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sat-Sun 1:10-3:50-6:45-9:30 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Mon-Thu 3:50-6:45-9:30
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri 4:40-6:50-9:50 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sat 1:20-4:40-6:50-9:50 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sun 1:20-4:40-6:50 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Mon-Thu 4:40-6:50-9:50
My Bloody Valentine 3D (18A) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri 4:55-7:45-10:20 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sat-Sun 2:30-4:55-7:45-10:20 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Mon-Thu 4:55-7:45-10:20
Notorious (18A) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri 4:20-7:20-9:55 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sat-Sun 1:50-4:20-7:20-9:55 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Mon-Thu 4:20-7:20-9:55
The Reader (14A) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri 4:10-6:55-9:40 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sat-Sun 1:15-4:10-6:55-9:40 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Mon-Thu 4:10-6:55-9:40
Revolutionary Road (14A) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri 4:15-7:10-9:45 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sat-Sun 1:30-4:15-7:10-9:45 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Mon-Thu 4:15-7:10-9:45
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri 4:45-7:30-10:10 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sat-Sun 2-4:45-7:30-10:10 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Mon-Thu 4:45-7:30-10:10
The Wrestler (14A) Fri 4:10-6:50-9:30 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri 5-7:40-10:15 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Sat-Sun 2:15-5-7:40-10:15 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Mon-Thu 5-7:40-10:15

SILVERCITY YORKDALE 6
3401 Dufferin St., 416-444-3456

Bride Wars (PG) Fri-Sat 1:30-4:30-7:15-10:10 Sun-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:15-9:55
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri-Sat 2:15-6:15-10:15 Sun-Thu 12:45-4:30-8:15
Gran Torino (14A) Fri-Sun 12:40-3:45-6:50-9:50 Mon 12:40-3:45-9:50 Tue-Thu 12:40-3:45-6:50-9:50
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri-Sun 12:50-3:40-6:40-9:40 Mon 12:30-3:40-6:40-9:40 Tue-Thu 12:50-3:40-6:40-9:40
Inkheart (PG) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:30
My Bloody Valentine 3D (18A) Fri-Sat 1:45-4:50-7:40-10:30 Sun 1:30-4:15-7:20-10 Mon-Thu 1:15-4:15-7:20-10
Notorious (18A) Fri-Sat 1-4-7-10 Sun-Thu 1-4-7-9:45
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri-Sat 1:10-4:10-7:10-9:55 Sun 1:10-4:10-7:10 Mon-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:10-9:40
The Unborn (14A) Fri-Sat 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:05 Sun-Wed 1:20-4:20-7:20-9:55 Thu 1:20-4:20-9:55
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri-Sat 1:50-4:40-7:30-10:20 No Passes Sun 1:50-4:40-7:25-10 No Passes Mon 1:20-4:40-7:25-10 No Passes Tue-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:25-10

SILVERCITY FAIRVIEW
1800 Sheppard Ave. E., 416-644-7746

Bride Wars (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-3:50-6:40-9:20
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri-Sun 2-6:30-10:10 Mon-Thu 12:30-4:15-7:50
Defiance (14A) Fri-Sun 12:30-3:40-6:50-10:15 Mon-Thu 12:30-3:40-6:50-10
Gran Torino (14A) Fri-Sun 12:50-4-7:10-10:05 Mon-Tue 12:50-4-7:10-9:55 Wed 12:50-4-9:55 Thu 12:50-4-7:10-9:55
Inkheart (PG) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:30-6:45-9:30
My Bloody Valentine 3D (18A) Fri-Sun 1:30-4:30-7:30-10 Mon-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:25-9:55
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri-Thu 1-4:20-7:20-9:50
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri-Sun 1:50-4:40-7:40-10:15 No Passes Mon-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:30-10
The Wrestler (14A) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:10-7-9:40

SCARBOROUGH

COLISEUM SCARBOROUGH
300 Borough Dr., 416-290-5217

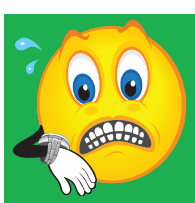
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri 1:10-5-8:50 Sat 12:35-5-8:50 Sun-Tue 1:10-5-8:50 Wed 1:10-5:40-10:05 Thu 1:10-5-8:50
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri-Sat 12:55-3:55-6:55-9:40 Sun 12:55-3:55-6:55-10:05 Mon-Thu 12:55-3:55-6:55-9:40
Inkheart (PG) Fri-Thu 1-4-7-10
Larger Than Life (STC) Wed 7
Love Me Again (in Filipino) (STC) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:50-6:50-9:50
Metropolitan Opera: Orfeo ed Euridice - Gluck (STC) Sat 1
My Bloody Valentine 3D (18A) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:40-7:30-10:20
Notorious (18A) Fri-Thu 1:05-4:05-7:05-10:05
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:40-7:10-9:45
Revolutionary Road (14A) Fri-Thu 1:15-4:15-7:15-10:15
The Unborn (14A) Fri-Thu 1:45-4:45-7:45-10:25
Valkyrie (PG) Fri-Sat 1:20-4:20-7:25-10:20 Sun 1:20-4:20-7:20 Mon-Thu 1:20-4:20-7:25-10:20
The Wrestler (14A) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:20-10:10
WWE: Royal Rumble (STC) Sun 8
Yes Man (PG) Fri 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:30 Sat 4-6:30-9:30 Sun 12:30-3:30-9:30 Mon-Tue 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:30 Wed 12:30-3:10-9:30 Thu 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:30

EGLINTON TOWN CENTRE
1901 Eglinton Ave. E., 416-752-4494

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri-Sun 12
Bride Wars (PG) Fri-Sun 12:20-2:55-6:40-9:10 Mon-Thu 3:30-6:40-9:10
Chandni Chowk to China (PG) Fri-Sun 1:50-6-9:30 Mon-Thu 6-9:30
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri-Sun 2-6:15-9:55 Mon-Thu 6:15-9:55
Defiance (14A) Fri-Sun 12:05-3:35-6:55-10:10 Mon-Thu 3:35-6:55-10:10
Frost/Nixon (PG) Fri-Sun 12:15-3:40-7:10-10 Mon-Thu 3:40-7:10-10
Gran Torino (14A) Fri-Sun 12:40-3:45-6:35-9:50 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:35-9:50

A VIRGIN BABY
Congratulations Billie & Pete!
Celebrity gossip guru, Perez Hilton, took Virgin and its listeners by surprise yesterday morning on The Breakfast Show with Mad Dog & Billie with a surprise announcement about Billie being pregnant with her first Virgin Baby! To hear the announcement live and to see Billie's Baby Blog, visit virginradio999.com

Billie pictured here with her ultrasound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Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri-Sun 12:10-2:45-6:25-9 Mon-Thu 3:25-6:25-9
Inkheart (PG) Fri-Sun 12:25-3:30-6:45-9:40 Mon-Thu 3:30-6:45-9:40 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri-Sun 12:35-6:30 Mon-Thu 6:30 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
My Bloody Valentine (STC) Fri-Sat 3:05-9:35 Sun 3:05 Mon-Thu 3:40-9:35
Notorious (18A) Fri-Sun 1:10-4:20-7:15-10:20 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:15-10:20
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri-Sun 12:30-3:15-6:50-9:20 Mon-Thu 4:05-6:50-9:20
Revolutionary Road (14A) Fri-Sat 12:45-3:55-7:20-10:30 Sun 12:45-3:55-7:20-10:20 Mon-Thu 3:55-7:20-10:20
Slumdog Millionaire (14A) No Passes Fri 1-4-7:05-10:15 Sat-Sun 1-4-7:05-10:15 Mon-Thu 4-7:05-10:15
The Unborn (14A) Fri-Sat 4:30-7:40-10:10 Sun 4:30-10:10 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:40-10:10
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri-Sun 1:20-4:40-7:25-10:05 No Passes Mon-Thu 4:40-7:25-10:05
The Wrestler (14A) Fri-Sun 12:50-3:50-7-9:45 Mon-Thu 3:50-7-9:45
WWE: Royal Rumble (STC) Sun 8

401 & MORNINGSIDE
785 Milner Ave., 416-281-2226

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri-Sun 1-3:50 Mon-Thu 4:45
Bride Wars (PG) Fri-Sun 1:50-4:40-7:10-9:25 Mon-Thu 4:40-7-9:30
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri-Sun 12:40-4:20-8 Mon-Thu 4:20-8
Defiance (14A) Fri-Sun 12:35-3:30-6:40-9:50 Mon-Thu 3:40-6:40-9:40
Gran Torino (14A) Fri-Sun 1:20-4:10-7:15-10:05 Mon-Thu 4:10-7:10-9:55
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri-Sun 1:30-4:15-6:50-9:30 Mon-Thu 4:15-7-9:10
Inkheart (PG) Fri-Sun 12:30-3:20-6:10-9:15 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:15-9
My Bloody Valentine (STC) Fri-Sun 7:40-10:25 Mon-Thu 7:15-9:35
Notorious (18A) Fri-Sun 12:50-4-7:10 Mon-Thu 4-6:50-9:50
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri-Sun 1:10-3:40-6:30-9:40 Mon-Thu 3:50-6:30-9:20
The Tale of Despereaux (G) Fri-Sun 2
The Unborn (14A) Fri-Sun 4:50-7:50-10:30 Mon-Thu 4:50-7:50-10:05
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri-Sun 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:15 No Passes Mon-Thu 4:30-7:30-10

KENNEDY COMMONS 20
33 William Kitchen Rd., 416-335-5323

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri 2:45-5:15 Sat-Sun 12:30-2:45-5:15 Mon-Thu 2:45-5:15
Bolt (PG) Fri 3:05-5:20 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:05-5:20 Mon-Thu 3:05-5:20
Bride Wars (PG) Fri 3:30-5:45-8-10:25 Sat-Sun 11-1:15-3:30-5:45-8-10:25 Mon-Thu 3:30-5:45-8-10:25
Chandni Chowk to China (PG) Fri 3:30-6:45-10 Sat-Sun 12:15-3:30-6:45-10 Mon-Thu 3:30-6:45-10
The Dark Knight (14A) Fri 3:40-6:50-10 Sat-Sun 12:25-3:40-6:50-10 Mon-Thu 3:40-6:50-10
Defiance (14A) Fri 3-4-6-7-9-9:55 Sat-Sun 12-1-3-4-6-7-9-9:55 Mon-Tue 3-4-6-7-9-9:55 Wed 3-4-7-9:55 Thu 3-4-6-7-9-9:55
Doubt (PG) Fri 2:25-4:50-7:15-9:40 Sat-Sun 12-2:25-4:50-7:15-9:40 Mon-Thu 2:25-4:50-7:15-9:40
Frost/Nixon (PG) Fri 2:05-4:40-7:25-10:15 Sat-Sun 11:05-2:05-4:40-7:25-10:15 Mon-Thu 2:05-4:40-7:25-10:15
Ghajini (14A) Fri-Tue 2:10-5:50-9:30 Wed-Thu 9:30
Gran Torino (14A) Fri 2-4:35-7:10-9:50 Sat-Sun 11:20-2-4:35-7:10-9:50 Mon-Thu 2-4:35-7:10-9:50
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri 3:15-5:35-7:55-10:10 Sat-Sun 12:55-3:15-5:35-7:55-10:10 Mon-Thu 3:15-5:35-7:55-10:10
Marley & Me (PG) Fri 2:15-5:05-7:40-10:25 Sat-Sun 11:25-2:15-5:05-7:40-10:25 Mon-Thu 2:15-5:05-7:40-10:25
Milk (14A) Fri-Thu 7:35-10:20
Quantum of Solace (PG) Fri 2:55-5:20-7:45-10:10 Sat-Sun 12:30-2:55-5:20-7:45-10:10 Mon-Thu 2:55-5:20-7:45-10:10
Rachel Getting Married (14A) Fri 2:10-4:50-7:35-10:15 Sat-Sun 11:30-2:10-4:50-7:35-10:15 Mon-Thu 2:10-4:50-7:35-10:15
The Reader (14A) Fri 2:05-4:45-7:30-10:05 Sat-Sun 11:20-2:05-4:45-7:30-10:05 Mon-Thu 2:05-4:45-7:30-10:05
Seven Pounds (14A) Fri-Thu 7:40-10:20
Slumdog Millionaire (14A) Fri 2:15-4:15-5:7-7:45-9:45-10:30 Sat-Sun 11:30-1:30-2:15-4:15-5:7-7:45-9:45-10:30 Mon-Thu 2:15-4:15-5:7-7:45-9:45-10:30
The Tale of Despereaux (G) Wed-Thu 3:15-5:30-7:45
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) Fri 3-3:45-5:15-6-7:30-8:15-9:45-10:30 Sat-Sun 11:15-12:45-1:30-3-3:45-5:15-6-7:30-8:15-9:45-10:30 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 3-3:45-5:15-6-7:30-8:15-9:45-10:30

WOODSIDE CINEMAS
1571 Sandhurst Circle, 416-299-3456

Chandni Chowk to China (PG) Fri 3:30-6:30-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:45-3:30-6:30-9:30 Mon-Thu 6:30-9:30
Raaz: The Mystery Continues (STC) Fri 3:30-6:15-9:15 Sat-Sun 1-3:30-6:15-9:15 Mon-Thu 6:30-9:15

PEEL REGION

CINÉ STARZ
377 Burnhamthorpe Rd. E., 905-290-2401

Beverly Hills Chihuahua (G) Fri-Thu 12-3:20
Changeling (14A) Fri-Sun 1:30-4:45 Mon-Thu 1:30-5:25
Delgo (PG) Fri-Sun 12-1:35-3:10 Mon-Thu 12-1:35
Four Christmases (PG) Fri 12-3:55 Sat-Sun 12 Mon-Thu 12-3:55-7:50
Madagascar (G) Fri-Sun 12-1:35-3:10-4:45-6:20 Mon-Thu 12-1:35-3:10
Quantum of Solace (PG) Fri-Sun 1:35-5-7-8:50 Mon-Thu 1:35-5-6:50-8:35
The Punisher: War Zone (18A) Fri-Sun 7:10-9 Mon-Thu 3:10-5-6:50-8:40
Transporter 3 (14A) Fri 5:25-8 Sat-Sun 8 Mon-Thu 4:45-6:30-8:15

COLISEUM 10
309 Rathburn Rd., 905-275-3456

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri-Sat 12:40-3:40-6:15-9 Sun 12:40-3:40-6:15 Mon-Thu 12:40-3:40-6:15-9
Bride Wars (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:15
The Dark Knight: The IMAX Experience (14A) No Passes Fri 12-3:20-6:45-10 Sat-Sun 12-3:20-6:45-10 Mon-Thu 12:45-4:15-8
Defiance (14A) Fri-Tue 12:15-3:15-6:30-9:40 Wed 3:55-6:55-10 Thu 12:15-3:15-6:30-9:40 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Inkheart (PG) Fri-Tue 1-4-7:10:05 Wed 4-7:10:05 Thu 1-4-7:10:05 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri 12:45-3:30-6:45-9:20 Sat 3:30-6:45-9:20 Sun 12:45-3:30-9:20 Mon-Thu 12:45-3:30-6:45-9:20
Metropolitan Opera: Orfeo ed Euridice - Gluck (STC) Sat 1
My Bloody Valentine 3D (18A) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:30-7:30-10:10
Notorious (18A) Fri-Sat 1:10-4:10-7:10-10:20 Sun-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:10-10:05
Revolutionary Road (14A) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:50-6:50-9:50
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri-Sat 1:50-4:40-7:45-10:25 No Passes Sun-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:45-10:10 No Passes Fri-Thu 12:30-3-6:20-9:10
The Wrestler (14A) Fri-Thu 12:20-3:10-6:40-9:30
WWE: Royal Rumble (STC) Sun 8
Yes Man (PG) Fri-Sat 1:30-4:50-7:40-10:30 Sun-Thu 1:30-4:50-7:40-10:15

COURTNEY PARK 16
110 Courtney Park Dr., 905-362-1210

Bride Wars (PG) Fri 3-5:15-7:35-9:45 Sat-Sun 11:25-3-5:15-7:35-9:45 Mon-Thu 3-5:15-7:35-9:45
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri 2:45-6:30-10:05 Sat 11:10-2:45-6:30-10:05 Sun 11:10-2:35-6:05-9:35 Mon-Thu 2:35-6:05-9:35
Defiance (14A) Fri 3:45-6:50-9:55 Sat-Sun 12:30-3:45-6:50-9:55 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:50-9:55
Frost/Nixon (PG) Fri 1:50-4:35-7:35-10:30 Sat 11:05-1:50-4:35-7:35-10:30 Sun 11:05-1:50-4:35-7:35-10:20 Mon-Thu 1:50-4:35-7:35-10:20
Gran Torino (14A) Fri 2:30-5:10-7:45-10:20 Sat-Sun 11:45-2:30-5:10-7:45-10:20 Mon-Thu 2:30-5:10-7:45-10:20
Hotel for Dogs (G) Special Engagement Fri 1:40-4-6:20-8:45 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:15-1:40-4-6:20-8:45 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 1:40-4-6:20-8:45
Inkheart (PG) Special Engagement Fri 1:30-4-7-9:30 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11-1:30-4-7-9:30 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 1:30-4-7-9:30
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri 2:50-5:20-7:50-10:25 Sat-Sun 12:15-2:50-5:20-7:50-10:25 Mon-Thu 2:50-5:20-7:50-10:25
My Bloody Valentine (STC) Special Engagement Fri 2:45-5:15-7:45-10:25 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 12:05-2:45-5:15-7:45-10:25 Mon-Thu 2:45-5:15-7:45-10:25
Notorious (18A) Special Engagement Fri 3:05-6:15-9:15 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 12-3:05-6:15-9:15 Mon-Thu 3:05-6:15-9:15
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Special Engagement Fri 2:30-5:45-8-10:15 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:50-2:30-5:45-8-10:15 Mon-Thu 2:30-5:45-8-10:15
Revolutionary Road (14A) Fri 2:35-7-10 Sat 11:40-2:35-7-10 Sun-Thu 2:35-7-10
Slumdog Millionaire (14A) Fri 1:45-4:30-7:30-10:15 Sat-Sun 11-1:45-4:30-7:30-10:15 Mon-Thu 1:45-4:30-7:30-10:15
The Tale of Despereaux (G) Fri 1:30 Sat-Sun 11:10-1:30 Mon-Thu 1:30
The Unborn (14A) Fri-Thu 3:40-5:45-7:55-10
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) Special Engagement Fri 2-3:15-4:45-5:30-7:15-8:15-9:45-10:45 Special Engagement Sat 11:30-12:45-2-3:15-4:45-5:30-7:15-8:15-9:45-10:45 Special Engagement Sun 11:30-12:45-2-3:15-4:45-5:30-7:15-8:15-9:45-10:30 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 2-3:15-4:45-5:30-7:15-8:15-9:45-10:30

ORION GATE GRANDE
20 Biscayne Cr., 905-455-1590

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri 3:25-6:40-9:20 Sat-Sun 12:35-3:25-6:40-9:20 Mon-Thu 3:25-6:30-9:15 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Bride Wars (PG) Fri 3:45-6:35-9:35 Sat-Sun 1:10-3:45-6:35-9:35 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:35-9:20
Defiance (14A) Fri 3:40-6:55-10:30 Sat-Sun 12:25-3:40-6:55-10:30 Mon-Tue 3:30-6:45-10 Wed 4-7-10 Thu 3:30-6:45-10 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Gran Torino (14A) Fri 4:25-7:35-10:20 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:25-7:35-10:20 Mon-Thu 4-7-9:50
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri 3:55-7-9:40 Sat-Sun 12:40-3:55-7-9:40 Mon-Thu 3:55-6:40-9:25
Inkheart (PG) Fri 3:35-6:45-9:50 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:35-6:45-9:50 Mon-Thu 3:40-6:55-9:35
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri 4:15-7:05-9:55 Sat-Sun 12:20-4:15-7:05-9:55 Mon-Thu 4:15-7:20-9:40
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri 4:05-7:15-10 Sat-Sun 1:15-4:05-7:15-10 Mon-Thu 4:05-7:15-9:45
The Unborn (14A) Fri 4:45-7:45-10:10 Sat-Sun 1:50-4:45-7:45-10:10 Mon-Thu 4:45-7:30-10
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri 4:30-7:30-10:15 No Passes Sat-Sun 1:35-4:30-7:30-10:15 No Passes Mon-Thu 4:20-7:35-9:55

SILVERCITY MISSISSAUGA
3055 Vega Blvd., 905-569-3373

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri-Sun 1:40-4:10-6:45-9:30 Mon-Thu 4:10-6:45-9:30
Bride Wars (PG) Fri-Sun 1:50-4:50-7:50-10:15 Mon-Thu 4:50-7:50-10:15
Defiance (14A) Fri-Sun 12:30-3:40-7:10:10 Mon-Thu 3:40-7-10:10
Doubt (PG) Fri-Sun 1:30-5-7:40-10:10 Mon-Thu 5-7:40-10:10
Frost/Nixon (PG) Fri-Sun 12:40-3:30-6:40-9:40 Mon-Thu 3:30-6:40-9:40
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri-Sun 1:20-4-6:30-9:20 Mon-Thu 4-6:30-9:20
Marley & Me (PG) Fri-Sun 1-4:20-7:10-10 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:10-10
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri-Sun 2-4:40-7:30-10:05 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:30-10:05
Revolutionary Road (14A) Fri-Sun 1:10-4:30-7:20-10:05 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:20-10:05
Seven Pounds (14A) Fri-Sun 12:50-3:50-6:50-9:50 Mon-Thu 3:50-6:50-9:50

SQUARE ONE
100 City Centre Dr., 905-275-2640

Chandni Chowk to China (PG) Stadium Seating, Sub-Titled, THX Fri-Thu 1:40-5:10-8:30
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1:20-4:50-8:20
Frost/Nixon (PG) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:30-10:20
Gran Torino (14A) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1:10-4-6:40-9:30
Hotel for Dogs (G) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 2-4:30-7-9:20
Marley & Me (PG) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1:05-3:50-6:30-9:10
Milk (14A) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1-3:55-6:50-9:50
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Stadium Seating, THX Fri-Thu 2:30-5-7:20-9:40 Stadium Seating Thu 11
Slumdog Millionaire (14A) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1:15-4:10-7:10-10:10
The Tale of Despereaux (G) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 2:15
The Unborn (14A) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 5:20-7:40-10

NORTH

AURORA CINEMAS
15460 Bayview Ave., 905-841-1789

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri 4:45 Sat-Sun 2-4:45
Bride Wars (PG) Fri 3:50-7:10-9:40 Sat-Sun 1:15-3:50-7:10-9:40 Mon-Thu 7:20-9:30
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri 4:10-8 Sat-Sun 12:15-4:10-8 Mon-Thu 8
Frost/Nixon (PG) Fri 4-7-10 Sat-Sun 1-4-7-10 Mon-Thu 6:45-9:50 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
Gran Torino (14A) Fri 3:45-6:50-9:50 Sat-Sun 12:40-3:45-6:50-9:50 Mon-Thu 6:50-9:40
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri 3:40-6:40-9:20 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:40-6:40-9:20 Mon-Thu 6:30-9:10
Inkheart (PG) Fri 4:20-7:20-10:15 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:20-7:20-10:15 Mon-Thu 7:10-9:55
Marley & Me (PG) Fri 3:30-6:30-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:30 Mon-Thu 6:40-9:25
My Bloody Valentine (STC) Fri-Sun 7:40-10:20 Mon-Thu 7:50-10:10
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri 4:30-7:30-10:10 Sat-Sun 1:45-4:30-7:30-10:10 Mon-Thu 7:20-9:40 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri 5-7:50-10:30 No Passes Sat-Sun 2:15-5-7:50-10:30 No Passes Mon-Thu 7:40-10

COLOSSUS 19
3555 Hwy 7 West, 905-851-1001

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri-Sat 12:15-3-6:45-9:15 Sun 12:15-3-6:45 Mon-Thu 3-6:45-9:10
Bride Wars (PG) Fri-Sun 1:15-3:50-7:25-9:50 Mon-Thu 4:45-7:10-9:30
Chandni Chowk to China (PG) Fri-Sun 2:30-6:20-10:10 Mon-Thu 5-8:30
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri-Sun 2:15-6:30-10:15 Mon-Thu 4-8
The Dark Knight: The IMAX Experience (14A) No Passes Fri 12-3:20-6:45-10 Sat-Sun 12-3:20-6:45-10 Mon-Thu 3:30-6:45-10
Defiance (14A) Fri-Sun 12:50-4:10-7:30-10:40 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:45-10:05
Frost/Nixon (PG) Fri-Sun 1:20-4:25-7:35-10:25 Mon-Thu 4:15-7:10-9:50
Gran Torino (14A) Fri-Sun 1:50-4:40-7:40-10:30 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:20-10:10
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri-Sun 1:10-3:45-6:50-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:55-6:30-9
Inkheart (PG) Fri-Sun 12:40-3:40-7:10-10 Mon-Thu 3:10-6:20-8:45
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri-Sun 12:30-7 Mon-Thu 7:05
Marley & Me (PG) Fri 12:20-3:20-6:55-9:40 Sat 3:30-6:55-9:40 Sun 12:20-3:20-9:40 Mon-Tue 6:15-8:50 Wed-Thu 3:20-6:15-8:50
Metropolitan Opera: Orfeo ed Euridice - Gluck (STC) Sat 1
My Bloody Valentine 3D (18A) Fri-Sun 2-5-8-11 Mon-Thu 5:10-7:50-10:15
Revolutionary Road (14A) Fri-Sun 1:30-4:20-7:20-10:20 Mon-Thu 4:25-7:15-9:55
Slumdog Millionaire (14A) No Passes Fri 1-4:15-7:15-10:25 Sat-Sun 1-4:15-7:15-10:25 Mon-Thu 4:10-6:50-9:40
Twilight (PG) Fri-Sun 3:10-9:20 Mon-Thu 3:30-9:20
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri-Sun 1-1:45-4-4:45-7:20-7:50-10:10-10:50 No Passes Mon-Thu 3:40-4:50-7-7:30-9:25-10
The Wrestler (14A) Fri-Sun 1:45-4:30-7:45-10:35 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:40-10:15
WWE: Royal Rumble (STC) Sun 8
Yes Man (PG) Fri-Sun 12:45-3:30-7:55-10:45 Mon 4:40-7:25-9:50 Tue 7:25-9:50 Wed-Thu 4:40-7:25-9:50

ELGIN MILLS 10
10909 Yonge St., 905-770-6998

Bedtime Stories (G) Sat-Sun 1-3:50
Bride Wars (PG) Fri 6:30-9:20 Sat 12:30-3:20-6:30-9:20 Sun 12:30-3:20-6:30-9 Mon-Thu 5:20-7:50
Defiance (14A) Fri 7:20-10:30 Sat 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:30 Sun 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:10 Mon-Thu 6-8:50
Frost/Nixon (PG) Fri 8-10:50 Sat 1:40-4:10-8-10:50 Sun 1:40-4:10-8-10:30 Mon-Thu 6:40-9:20
Gran Torino (14A) Fri-Sat 7:10-10 Sun 7:10-9:40 Mon-Thu 5:50-8:20
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri 6:50-9:30 Sat 12:40-3:30-6:50-9:30 Sun 12:40-3:30-6:50-9:10 Mon-Thu 5:40-8:10
Inkheart (PG) Fri 6:40-9:40 Sat 12:50-3:40-6:40-9:40 Sun 12:50-3:40-6:40-9:20 Mon-Thu 5:30-8
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri 7:30 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:30-7:30 Mon-Thu 6:20
My Bloody Valentine (STC) Fri-Sat 10:10 Sun 9:50 Mon-Thu 8:40
Notorious (18A) Fri 7:40-10:40 Sat 2-4:50-7:40-10:40 Sun 2-4:50-7:40-10:20 Mon-Thu 6:30-9:10
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri 7-9:50 Sat 1:10-4-7-9:50 Sun 1:10-4-7-9:30 Mon-Thu 6:10-8:30
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) Fri 7:50-10:20 Sat 1:50-4:40-7:50-10:20 Sun 1:50-4:40-7:50-10 Mon-Thu 6:50-9

FIRST MARKHAM PLACE
3275 Hwy 7 E., 905-474-5101

Bride Wars (PG) Fri 4:30-7:20-9:50 Sat-Sun 2-4:30-7:20-9:50 Mon-Thu 7:15-9:30
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri 5-8:50 Sat-Sun 1:10-5-8:50 Mon-Thu 8
Gran Torino (14A) Fri 4-6:40-9:20 Sat-Sun 1:30-4-6:40-9:20 Mon-Thu 6:55-9:35
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri 4:10-7:10-9:40 Sat-Sun 1:50-4:10-7:10-9:40 Mon-Thu 7:20-9:45
Inkheart (PG) Fri 4:20-7-9:30 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:20-7-9:30 Mon-Thu 7:10-9:40
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri 3:50-6:50-9 Sat-Sun 1:20-3:50-6:50-9 Mon-Thu 7:05-9:20
Marley & Me (PG) Fri 3:40 Sat-Sun 1-3:40
My Bloody Valentine (STC) Fri-Sun 6:30-9:10 Mon-Thu 7-9:25
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri 4:40-7:30-10 Sat-Sun 2:10-4:40-7:30-10 Mon-Thu 7:30-9:50
The Tale of Despereaux (G) Sat-Sun 2:30
The Unborn (14A) Fri-Sun 5:10-7:50-10:15 Mon-Thu 7:50-10
Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (18A) No Passes Fri 4:50-7:40-10:10 No Passes Sat-Sun 2:20-4:50-7:40-10:10 No Passes Mon-Thu 7:40-9:55

INTERCHANGE 30
30 Interchange Way, 905-760-1911

Australia (PG) Fri 2:35-6-9:30 Sat-Sun 11-2:35-6-9:30 Mon-Thu 6-9:30
Body of Lies (14A) Fri-Sun 1:25-4:15-7:10-10:20 Mon-Thu 4:15-7:10-10:20
Bolt (PG) Fri 1:30-4-6:20-9 Sat-Sun 11:15-1:30-4-6:20-9 Mon-Thu 4-6:20-9
Bolt in Disney Digital 3D (PG) Digital Fri 2:20-4:45-7:10-9:40 Digital Sat-Sun 12-2:20-4:45-7:10-9:40 Digital Mon-Thu 4:45-7:10-9:40
The Boy in the Striped Pajamas (14A) Fri 2:50-5:25-7:50-10:05 Sat-Sun 12:25-2:50-5:25-7:50-10:05 Mon-Thu 5:25-7:50-10:05
Changeling (14A) Fri 4:05-7:05-10:05 Sat-Sun 1-4:05-7:05-10:05 Mon-Thu 4:05-7:05-10:05
Doubt (PG) Fri 2:35-5:15-8-10:30 Sat-Sun 11:55-2:35-5:15-8-10:30 Mon-Thu 5:15-8-10:30
Four Christmases (PG) Fri 2:05-4:35-7-9:25 Sat-Sun 11:35-2:05-4:35-7-9:25 Mon-Wed 4:35-7-9:25 Thu 4:35-7
High School Musical 3: Senior Year (G) Fri 2-4:40-7:25 Sat-Sun 11:05-2-4:40-7:25 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:25
JCVD (14A) Fri 1:40-4:10-6:40-9:05 Sat-Sun 11:25-1:40-4:10-6:40-9:05 Mon-Wed 4:10-6:40-9:05 Thu 4:10-6:40
Milk (14A) Fri 3:30-6:25-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:30-3:30-6:25-9:30 Mon-Wed 6:25-9:30 Thu 6:25
Nick and Norah's Infinite Playlist (PG) Fri 1:40-4-6:35-9:10 Sat-Sun 11:20-1:40-4-6:35-9:10 Mon-Wed 4-6:35-9:10 Thu 4-6:35
Notorious (18A) Fri 2:30-3:15-5:30-6:15-8:30-9:15 Sat-Sun 11:30-12:15-2:30-3:15-5:30-6:15-8:30-9:15 Mon-Thu 5:30-6:15-8:30-9:15
Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) Fri 2:15-3-4:45-5:30-7:15-8:15-9:45-10:30 Sat-Sun 11:45-12:45-2:15-3-4:45-5:30-7:15-8:15-9:45-10:30 Mon-Thu 4:45-5:30-7:15-8:15-9:45-10:30
Quantum of Solace (PG) Fri 2:30-5-7:30-10 Sat-Sun 12-2:30-5-7:30-10 Mon-Thu 5-7:30-10
Rachel Getting Married (14A) Fri 1:55-4:55-7:40-10:25 Sat-Sun 11:10-1:55-4:55-7:40-10:25 Mon-Thu 4:55-7:40-10:25
The Reader (14A) Fri 1:45-4:30-7:15-10:15 Sat-Sun 11-1:45-4:30-7:15-10:15 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:15-10:15
Role Models (14A) Fri 2:10-4:50-7:25-9:50 Sat-Sun 11:50-2:10-4:50-7:25-9:50 Mon-Thu 4:50-7:25-9:50
Seven Pounds (14A) Fri 1:50-4:40-7:40-10:25 Sat-Sun 11:05-1:50-4:40-7:40-10:25 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:40-10:25
The Spirit (14A) Fri 1:50-4:25-6:55-9:35 Sat-Sun 11:20-1:50-4:25-6:55-9:35 Mon-Thu 4:25-6:55-9:35
The Tale of Despereaux (G) Fri 2:45-5:20-7:45-10 Sat-Sun 12:15-2:45-5:20-7:45-10 Mon-Thu 5:20-7:45-10
Transporter 3 (14A) Fri 2:25-5:10-7:45-10:20 Sat-Sun 11:40-2:25-5:10-7:45-10:20 Mon-Thu 5:10-7:45-10:20
The Unborn (14A) Fri 1:30-2:45-3:45-5:5:55-7:30-8:45-9:45-11 Sat 11:15-12:30-1:30-2:45-3:45-5:5:55-7:30-8:45-9:45-11 Sun 11:15-12:30-1:30-2:45-3:45-5:5:55-7:30-8:45-9:45 Mon-Thu 5-5:55-7:30-8:45-9:45
Valkyrie (PG) Fri 2-4:50-7:35-10:15 Sat-Sun 11:10-2-4:50-7:35-10:15 Mon-Thu 4:50-7:35-10:15
Vicky Cristina Barcelona (14A) Fri 2:50-5:05-7:20-9:40 Sat-Sun 12:20-2:50-5:05-7:20-9:40 Mon-Thu 5:05-7:20-9:40
Zack and Miri Make a Porno (18A) Fri 2:25-5:05-7:35-9:55 Sat-Sun 12:05-2:35-5:05-7:35-9:55 Mon-Thu 5:05-7:35-9:55

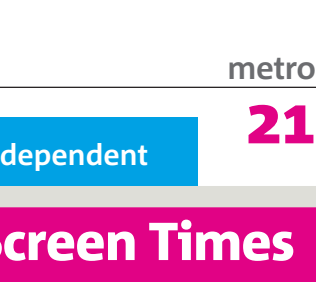
PROMENADE MALL
1 Promenade Circle, 416-494-9371

Bride Wars (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:15-7-9:10
Frost/Nixon (PG) Fri-Thu 1:15-4-6:45-9:15
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri-Thu 12:30-2:45-5-7:15-9:20
Inkheart (PG) Fri-Thu 12:45-3:30-6:50-9
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri-Sun 12:50-3-5:10-7:20-9:30 Mon 3-5:10-7:20-9:30 Tue-Thu 12:50-3-5:10-7:20-9:30 Mon 1
Slumdog Millionaire (14A) Fri-Thu 1-3:50-6:40-9:25

SILVERCITY NEWMARKET
18151 Yonge St., 905-953-2792

Bedtime Stories (G) Fri 4:25-7:25-10:05 Sat 1:25-4:25-7:25-10:05 Sun 1:25-4:25-7:30 Mon 7:25-10:05 Tue 4:25-7:25-10:05 Wed-Thu 7:25-10:05
Bride Wars (PG) Fri 4:05-7:10-9:45 Sat-Sun 1-4:05-7:10-9:45 Mon 7:10-9:45 Tue 4:05-7:10-9:45 Wed-Thu 7:10-9:45
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button (PG) Fri 6:30-10:10 Sat-Sun 2:15-6:30-10:10 Mon 8 Tue 6:30-10:10 Wed-Thu 8
Defiance (14A) Fri 3:30-6:40-9:55 Sat-Sun 12:25-3:30-6:40-9:55 Mon 6:40-9:55 Tue 3:30-6:40-9:55 Wed-Thu 6:40-9:55
Gran Torino (14A) Fri 3:45-6:55-9:50 Sat-Sun 12:35-3:45-6:55-9:50 Mon 6:55-9:50 Tue 3:45-6:55-9:50 Wed-Thu 6:55-9:50
Hotel for Dogs (G) Fri 3:50-6:45-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:40-3:50-6:45-9:30 Mon 6:45-9:30 Tue 3:50-6:45-9:30 Wed-Thu 6:45-9:30
Inkheart (PG) Fri 4:20-7:20-10:10 Sat-Sun 12:50-4:20-7:20-10:10 Mon 7:20-10:10 Tue 4:20-7:20-10:10 Wed-Thu 7:20-10:10
Larger Than Life (STC) Wed 7
Last Chance Harvey (PG) Fri 4:35-7:05-9:35 Sat-Sun 1:45-4:35-7:05-9:35 Mon 7:05-9:35 Tue 4:35-7:05-9:35 Wed-Thu 7:05-9:35
Marley & Me (PG) Fri-Sat 3:55-6:50-9:40 Sun 12:45-3:55-6:50-9:40 Mon 6:50-9:40 Tue 3:55-6:50-9:40 Wed-Thu 6:50-9:40
Metropolitan Opera: Orfeo ed Euridice - Gluck (STC) Sat 1

This Weekend:
Free Child Admission*
with every paying adult, senior or student



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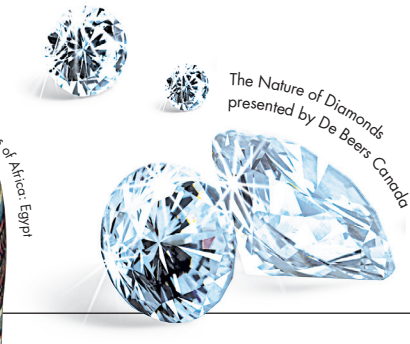

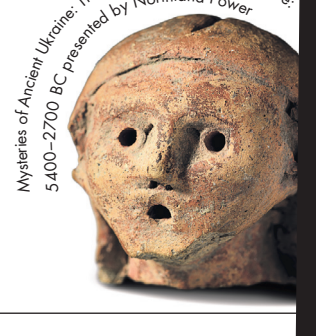

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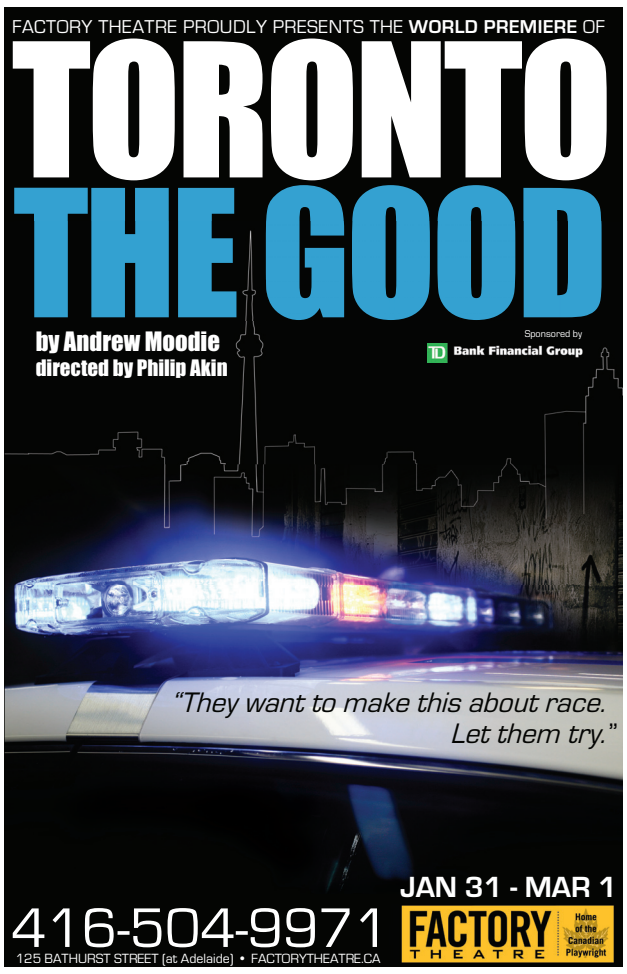

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3531 Wyecroft Road, 905 827-7173

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50 Great Lakes, 905-789-6797

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2081 Winston Park Dr. Oakville, 905-829-2009

Australia (PG) Fri-Thu 3:30-9:55
Chandni Chowk to China (PG) Sub-Titled Fri 2-5:30-9 Sub-Titled Sat-Sun 10:45-2-5:30-9 Sub-Titled Mon-Thu 2-5:30-9
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248 Kingston Rd. E, 905-426-7772

Bedtime Stories (G) Sat-Sun 1-4
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Music

Newman guilty as charged

New Pornographers frontman turns up the volume on new solo album

BRYAN BORZYKOWSKI
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Don't worry if A.C. Newman's solo career confuses you. Usually, when a frontman for a successful band — in this case Vancouver's The New Pornographers —releases a solo album, it often sounds much different from the guy's day job. But not so with Newman, whose rich, Beach Boys-like pop stylings appears on everything he touches. Plus, to him, every record he releases comes from the same place.

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A.C. Newman, frontman for The New Pornographers, has released a new solo album.

"I think Get Guily is a louder record than Challengers is," says Newman, comparing his latest solo effort to his last New Pornographers record in the same breath. "I think I'm always trying to change it up, it doesn't matter whether it's a Pornographers album or not."

Clearly, he doesn't view his New Pornographers-self as separate from his solo career. And, while Neko Case and Dan Bejar aren't singing on Get Guilty — Newman's second album sans supergroup — it's still got the same harmony laden tracks and sunny upbeat vibe that's made the now New York-based songwriter's band what it is.

So, if his own material isn't that different from his band's music, why put out a solo album at all? "There is no really good reason for it," he says. "I just do it because I can."

Newman points out that he wrote his first album — 2004's Slow Wonder — after thinking The New Pornographers were breaking up. Neko Case decided to embark on her own solo career, which meant his band wasn't touring. Instead of waiting around, he recorded Slow Wonder during the time off.

This time, however, Get Guilty, was written so he could "record the next New Pornographers record with a clean start in my head.

"I wrote it as kind of a palate cleaning," he explains further. "It's hard to describe, but for some reason, at the end of making Challengers, I decided I was going to write a solo record. There's one song on the disc that I started writing while the Pornographers were mixing. I left the studio and played it into my phone."

As he's talking Newman, again, wonders aloud why he decided to record another solo album, as if he just realized that it's somewhat redundant. "There's not really any logic to this," he remarks. "I guess it seemed too soon to do another Pornos record."

But, logistically, it did make more sense for him to create a non-NP album, considering who else is releasing a record this year.

"I wanted to make sure the Pornos and Neko don't put out records near each other," he says, finally hitting on the most rational explanation for releasing a solo album. "If this had been a Pornographers record it would have been out in January and Neko's record would have been out two months later. She can feel free to stomp all over my solo album, but the Pornos and Neko shouldn't conflict with each other."

Franz Ferdinand embraces Soviet technology

SoundCheck

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Franz Ferdinand singer Alex Kapranos looks pretty sharp for a man who, not 12 hours earlier, was in the middle of a sweaty club gig as part of a barnstorming promo ride for the group's third album. Drummer Paul Thomson isn't quite as chipper, although that can be attributed to a metabolism that doesn't process caffeine quite as efficiently. He perks up. Eventually.

After two albums in 18 months, it's been three years since the group's last album. So, what took so long? "Making this new record was different. The time it took wasn't so much a luxury as a necessity," sighs Kapranos.

"The adrenalin just runs out," offers Thomson.

There's been a substantial amount of fan speculation on the sound and direction of Tonight: Franz Ferdinand. Were the spiky, dual-tempo arrangements thrown in the bin? Was it going to have African influences? Or had it all gone Jamaican dub?

"There are elements to truth to all those things," Kapranos says. "We listened to African music and Dan Carey, our producer, comes from a dub background. But it's still a Franz Ferdinand record. I mean, I listen to Dizzy Gillespie, but it doesn't mean we're going to make a be-bop record."

SONY MUSIC PHOTO

Tonight: Franz Ferdinand is set for release next week.

Well, maybe, but Domino — FF's U.K. label — is going to put out a special version of the album mixed in a dub style. Kapranos and Thomas say it's an experiment. The version of the album that most people will hear, starting Tuesday, features experiments of its own, including the use of a long-forgotten Soviet-era synthesizer called a Polyvox.

"It was another case of reverse engineering where the Soviets went, 'Right, we can build our own version of these (things)' — and would get it kind of wrong," explain Kapranos. "But their 'kind of wrong' is 'kind of good.' And it's true with the Polyvox. There was an electronic engineer in Kiev, I think, and he wanted to build a Moog (a U.S.-built synth). He knew the theory of how a Moog was built and had heard what they sounded like but had never seen one. So he built this machine that looks like the control panel of a Soviet tank, with big knobs and dials Cyrillic labels everywhere. And it sounds … kind of vaguely like a Moog — but not really. It just sounds … cool."

The whole FF story is coming up on my Ongoing History of New Music the first week of February.

The Ongoing History of New Music can be heard on stations across Canada. Read more at ongoinghistory.com and exploremusic.com

Charges upgraded in Oasis case

LOCAL Crown prosecutors have upgraded the charge against a man accused of attacking Oasis guitarist Noel Gallagher at a Toronto music festival.

Forty-seven-year-old Daniel Sullivan is now charged with one count of aggravated assault — he was originally charged with assault.

Aggravated assault can carry a maximum sentence of 14 years in prison whereas the maximum penalty for assault is five years. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Metro recommends

• NOTORIOUS, ORIGINAL MOTION PICTURE SOUNDTRACK:

Biggie-sized soundtrack features classic tracks, a duet with his son, a tribute from Jay-Z and early demo tape gems.

• A.C. NEWMAN, GET GUILTY:

New Pornographers frontman explores the more elaborate facets of his power pop sound with tinges of psychedelia.

• KETCH HARBOUR WOLVES, DEAD CALM HORIZON:

Refined indie-rock soaked in harmonies and sweeping layers of lush instrumentation.

METRO NEWS SERVICES

Clooney back on ER

George Clooney has agreed to come back to the show that launched his career: ER. Sources close to the series tell People magazine that ER co-creator John Wells has ordered a closed set to keep Clooney's appearance under wraps. **PEOPLE.COM**

Television

Oscars promise to be a snooze

IntelleVision

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RED CARPET BLUES: The awards season culminates next month in the Oscars, the worst show ever that millions of people watch with what we can only assume is the hope that a celebrity will embarrass themselves with a blubbering acceptance speech that bares their pitiful insecurity for all the world to see.

Actually, the conventional wisdom is that people watch the interminable movie awards ceremony to see a film they enjoyed win, with the corollary effect that the highest-rated Oscars are the ones where a blockbuster like Titanic or a Lord Of The Rings film does a sweep. If this is true — and there's more than enough evidence to assume that it is — then Marc Caro of the Chicago Tribune is right and ABC will be taking a bath on its broadcast this year.

Nominations for the Oscars were announced yesterday, and conspicuously absent was The Dark Knight, a film whose massive box office clearly inspired reverse esteem in the Academy's voters. Only a posthumous nod for Heath Ledger's Joker as Best Supporting Actor put The Dark Knight in any of the top categories, though it's well-represented in the technical categories — when viewers usually get their pizza delivery.

The 81st Annual Academy Awards

Continuing a trend that's dominated the Oscars for a few years now, the films with the most high-profile nominations are either critical duds, box office underperformers — or both. "The Reader is a best picture (and director) nominee, and The Dark Knight is not," writes Caro with obvious disbelief. "Yes, the highbrow Holocaust film with lukewarm reviews is in the game!"

Even the best song category won't pull in viewers, as voters swatted away the chance to have Bruce Springsteen, Miley Cyrus, Beyoncé or even Clint Eastwood perform in favour of Peter Gabriel doing the credits song from Wall-E and no less than two songs from Slumdog Millionaire. Now is the time network executives outdo Hugo Chavez in their contempt for fickle, ungovernable democracy.

Rick McGinnis writes about music, movies, books and television, but not opera.

Rick's TVPicks

Battlestar Galactica

Air date: Jan. 23
Network: Space

Cancer, depression, demoralization, rebellion, cuckoldry; it's another happy hour on the non-stop party spaceship as the show picks up speed for the final stretch. **SPOILER ALERT:** At least no one dies.

Confessions of a Teen Idol

Air date: Jan. 25
Network: MuchMoreMusic

YOU might have heard of at least three of the seven men making a second lunge for fame in this VH1 reality show hosted by Scott Baio. One of them won't be the guy from the first season of The Real World.

–RICK MCGINNIS/ METRO CANADA

CHECK LOCAL LISTINGS FOR SHOWS' AIR TIMES

FRIDAY

TO		Vu	SC		C	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
1/23/09	primetime	265	353	2	TVO	Centre of the Earth		The Agenda With Steve Paikin		Heartbeat		Allan Gregg	Film 101	Agenda-Paikin
		211	331	3	GTV	ET Canada	Entertainment	Howie Do It (N)	Howie Do It (N)	Friday Night Lights (N)		NUMB3RS (HDTV) (N)		News (N)
		215	343	4	OMN1	2Half Men	The Simpsons	News (N)		Vivere II	News (N)	The Simpsons	King of the Hill	Metropia
		210	302	6	CBC	Coronation St.	Jeopardy! (N)	Rick Mercer	Marketplace	Montreal Canadiens-100 Years		CBC News: The National		The Hour
		214	344	7	CITY	Law & Order: SVU		Man Tracker	Man Tracker	Survivorman		Crusoe		News (N)
		212	313	8	CTV	etalk	Hollywood	Ghost Whisperer (N)		Flashpoint (HDTV) (N)		Raising the Bar (N)		News (N)
		218	345	11	E!	The Insider (N)	E! News	Smarter Than a 5th Grader?		Party Monsters: Cabo		20/20 (HDTV)		News (N)
		-	387	16	CBS	Inside Edition	Hollywood	Ghost Whisperer (N)		Flashpoint (HDTV) (N)		NUMB3RS (HDTV) (N)		News (N)
		-	385	17	NBC	The Insider (N)	Entertainment	Howie Do It (N)	Howie Do It (N)	Friday Night Lights (N)		Dateline NBC		News (N)
		-	386	18	ABC	Wheel-Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	Wife Swap		Supernanny (N)		20/20 (HDTV)		News (N)
		219	346	20	ACH-B	Instant Star	TMZ (N)	Wife Swap		Supernanny (N)		Stargate SG-1 (DVS)		News (N)
		-	-	28	FOX	Judge Judy (N)	Two/Half Men	Smarter Than a 5th Grader?		Don't Forget the Lyrics!		Seinfeld	Two/Half Men	The Simpsons
		-	388	61	PBS	News-Lehrer	Summer Wine	My Music: 50's Pop Parade				In the Life	Wash. Week	Business Rpt.
	news	500	500	33	CNN	Lou Dobbs Tonight		Campbell Brown: No Bias		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360 (HDTV)		
	sports	405	417	22	net	World Cup Skiing: Women's		FSN Pro Football Preview		Prime Time Sports		Sportsnet Connected		Hockey Central
		400	400	30	TSN	That's Hockey!	Strongest Man	Strongest Man	NBA Basketball Toronto Raptors at Chicago Bulls. (HDTV) (Live)					SportsCentre
	family	551	542	25	YTV	Scorpion	*Raise Your Voice* ★★ (2004, Drama) Hilary Duff, Oliver James.					Falcon Beach		Mystery Hnt.
		554	544	45	TEL	Totally Spies	Total Drama	6TEEN	6TEEN	Misadventures	Futurama	Father of Pride	Robot Chicken	Life's a Zoo
		556	540	51	FAM	Wizards-Place	*Camp Rock* (2008, Musical Comedy)			*Jumanji* ★★ (1995, Fantasy)			*Curly Sue* ★★★ (1991)	
	cable variety	615	520	31	A&E	CSI: Miami "Vengeance"		CSI: Miami (HDTV)		CSI: Miami (HDTV)		The Beast (HDTV)		Criminal Minds
		575	583	38	CMT	Cross Canada Countdown				Ed "Just Friends"		Top 20 Steamiest Video		*Broken*
		616	521	39	SHO	The Outer Limits		Da Vinci's Inquest		Testees	Kenny-Spenny	Webdreams	Sin Cities	Wife Swap
		294	529	47	TBS	House-Payne	House-Payne	*The Legend of Zorro* ★★ (2005, Adventure) Antonio Banderas.					Seinfeld	Family Guy
		581	566	52	MTV	Girls-Latitude	City Live After	Made "Pop Singer"		Bromance		The City	The City	City Live After
		603	561	56	FOOD	Chef at Home	Chef at Home	Restaurant Makeover		Kylie Kwong	Gourmets	Diner, Drive-In	Diner, Drive-In	Ramsay Kitchn
		300	601	301	M1	(6:10) *The Derby Stallion*		Sanctuary (Part 2 of 2)		*Doomsday* ★★ (2008, Action) Rhona Mitra, Bob Hoskins.				*The Hitcher* ★

SATURDAY

TO		Vu	SC		C	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
1/24/09	primetime	265	353	2	TVO	National Geographic (N)		*Slaughterhouse Five* ★★ (1972, Science Fiction)				The Interviews	*Being John Malkovich*	
		211	331	3	GTV	Global Currents: Thin Ice		Zero Hour		Mob Stories		Go Deep		News (N)
		215	343	4	OMN1	Na Luzie		Svitohliad	Dusha I Tilo	Russian Waves		Voice of Courage		MADtv
		210	302	6	CBC	NHL Hockey Honda/NHL All-Star SuperSkills Competition. (HDTV) (Live)					Montreal Canadiens-100 Years		*Pearl Harbor* (2001, War)	
		214	344	7	CITY	Without a Trace		Out There		*Tornado Warning* (2002, Suspense) Gerald McRaney.				News (N)
		212	313	8	CTV	W-FIVE-Swans		Law & Order: Criminal Intent		CSI: NY "Admissions"		Law & Order: Criminal Intent		News (N)
		218	345	11	E!	Chef School	E News	*A Life Interrupted* (2007, Docudrama) Lea Thompson.				Show Yours	G-Spot	News (N)
		-	387	16	CBS	Paid Program	Paid Program	Game Show	Game Show	CSI: NY "Admissions"		48 Hours Mystery (N)		News (N)
		-	385	17	NBC	Paid Program	The Insider (N)	Crusoe (HDTV) (N)		Figure Skating U.S. Championships -- Ladies Free Program.				News (N)
		-	386	18	ABC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Lost "Destiny Calls"		Lost "Because You Left; The Lie" (HDTV)				News
		219	346	20	ACH-B	The Road to Avonlea		Lost "Destiny Calls"		Lost "Because You Left; The Lie" (HDTV)				News (N)
		-	-	28	FOX	Paid Program	Paid Program	Cops (N)	Cops	America's Most Wanted		The Simpsons	The Simpsons	Spike Feresten
		-	388	61	PBS	All Creatures Great and Small		Ballykissangel "Drink"		Sherlock Holmes		Poirot		Olga-Duchess
	news	500	500	33	CNN	Newsroom		Campbell Brown: No Bias		Larry King Live		D.L. Hughley Breaks the News		Newsroom
	sports	405	417	22	net	World Sport	UFC Primetime	UFC 74: Respect Couture takes on Gonzaga.				The Ultimate Fighter		Sportsnet Con.
		400	400	30	TSN	NFL Films	E:60		2009 Crashed Ice (HDTV) (Live)			Tennis Australian Open -- Round of 16.		
	family	551	542	25	YTV	Team Galaxy	Team Galaxy	Zixx Level	Storm Hawks	Naruto	Bleach	Ghost	Ghost	Mystery Hnt.
		554	544	45	TEL	*Jetsons Meet the Flintstones* ★★ (1987), Daws Butler				Carl2	Futurama	*Spaceballs* ★★ (1987, Comedy)		
		556	540	51	FAM	That's-Raven	Zoey 101	Life Derek	Han. Montana	*Something's Gotta Give* ★★★ (2003)			*Men in Black* (1997)	
	cable variety	615	520	31	A&E	CSI: Miami "Dispo Day"		CSI: Miami (HDTV)		CSI: Miami (HDTV)		The Beast (HDTV)		The Sopranos
		575	583	38	CMT	All About	All About	Karaoke Star		Dixie Chicks: Shut Up and Sing				Three Chords
		616	521	39	SHO	Mutant X		*Every Second Counts* (2008, Drama) Stephen Collins.				*X-Men: The Last Stand* ★★ (2006, Action)		
		294	529	47	TBS	House-Payne	House-Payne	*Turbulence* ★ (1997, Suspense) Ray Liotta, Lauren Holly.				*The Devil's Own* ★★★ (1997, Suspense)		
		581	566	52	MTV	MTV Live	After	Made "Pop Singer"		MTV News	Girls-Latitude	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs
		603	561	56	FOOD	Family	Glutton-Punish.	Top Chef Restaurants.			Good Eats	Hell's Kitchen		The F Word
		300	601	301	M1	*Margot-Wed*	*Surf's Up* ★★★ (2007, Comedy)			*Shine a Light* ★★★ (2008, Documentary) Mick Jagger.				*We Own Night*

SUNDAY

TO		Vu	SC		C	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
1/25/09	primetime	265	353	2	TVO	Victoria's Empire		Human Computer		*Gunrush* (2008, Suspense) Timothy Spall.			The View From Here	
		211	331	3	GTV	Ancestors	King of the Hill	The Simpsons	The Simpsons	Family Guy	American Dad	Family Guy	Family Guy	News (N)
		215	343	4	OMN1	Without a Trace		According-Jim	The Hero and the Queen		Noi Oggi	Metropia	Metropia	Corpo E Alma
		210	302	6	CBC	(6) NHL Hockey All-Star Game. (HDTV) (Live)				The Week the Women Went		CBC News: Sunday Night (N)		fifth estate
		214	344	7	CITY	TBA	Two/Half Men	*Tomorrow Never Dies* ★★★ (1997, Action) Pierce Brosnan.					Most Amazing	News (N)
		212	313	8	CTV	Star Wars Clo.	Degrassi: TNG	The Mentalist (HDTV)		*The Bourne Supremacy* ★★★ (2004, Suspense)				News (N)
		218	345	11	E!	Red Carpet Special: SAG		15th Annual Screen Actors Guild Awards				To Be Announced		News (N)
		-	387	16	CBS	60 Minutes		Cold Case (HDTV) (N)		*Loving Leah* (2009, Romance) Lauren Ambrose.				News (N)
		-	385	17	NBC	Dateline NBC				*The Last Templar* (2009, Adventure) Mira Sorvino.				News (N)
		-	386	18	ABC	Funniest Home Videos		Extreme Makeover: Home Edition "Tutwiler Family" (N)				Desperate Housewives		News
		219	346	20	ACH-B	Funniest Home Videos		Cold Case (HDTV) (N)		Hole in the Wall		Desperate Housewives		News
		-	-	28	FOX	Smarter Than a 5th Grader?		The Simpsons	The Simpsons	Family Guy	American Dad	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Cold Case
		-	388	61	PBS	The Lawrence Welk Show		Nature (HDTV) (N) (DVS)		Masterpiece Classic (N) (DVS)			Masterpiece Classic (N)	
	news	500	500	33	CNN	Newsroom		State of the Union		Larry King Live		Newsroom		D.L. Hughley
	sports	405	417	22	net	World Cup Skiing		UFC: Access	UFC Primetime	UFC 74: Respect Couture takes on Gonzaga.				Sportsnet Con.
		400	400	30	TSN	NBA Basketball: Kings at Raptors			SportsCentre	Boxing	World Extreme Cagefighting (HDTV)			
	family	551	542	25	YTV	*Spy Kids 3-D: Game Over*		Prank Patrol	Prank Patrol	The Next Star		Adrenaline Proj	Zixx Level	Mystery Hnt.
		554	544	45	TEL	Totally Spies	Totally Spies	6TEEN	6TEEN	Carl2	Futurama	*Batman: Gotham Knight* (2008, Action)		
		556	540	51	FAM	That's-Raven	Zoey 101	Life Derek	Han. Montana	*Snow Dogs* ★★ (2002, Comedy), Sisqó			*My Dog Skip* (2000, Drama)	
	cable variety	615	520	31	A&E	CSI: Miami "Born to Kill"		CSI: Miami (HDTV)		CSI: Miami (HDTV)		CSI: Miami (HDTV)		The Beast
		575	583	38	CMT	Cross Canada Countdown		Hope & Faith	Hope & Faith	Trace Adkins	Jessica	Three Chords	Three Chords	Cheerleader
		616	521	39	SHO	The Guard (HDTV)		*New Waterford Girl* ★★★ (1999, Comedy)				Damages		The Guard
		294	529	47	TBS	(6:30) *Walking Tall*		*Blade: Trinity* ★★ (2004, Horror) Wesley Snipes.				*Blade: Trinity* ★★ (2004, Horror)		
		581	566	52	MTV	Made "Pop Singer"		Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	After
		603	561	56	FOOD	The Wild Chef	Exotic	Challenge		Iron Chef America		The Next Food Network Star		The Heat
		300	601	301	M1	*Mama's Boy*	*Chestnut: Hero of Central Park* (2006)			*American Gangster* ★★★ (2007, Crime Drama) Denzel Washington.				

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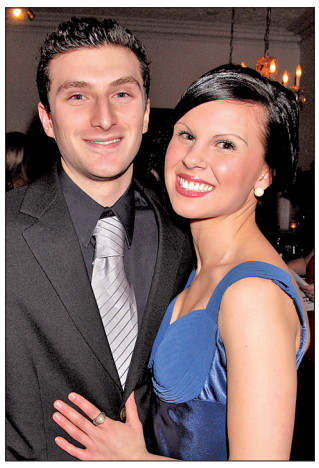

Couple Jesse Rosenthal and Leah Frankiewicz.

YOU DON'T HAVE to be American to celebrate the presidency. Hamilton's Powergroup Communications headquarters was the inauguration hot spot on Tuesday as invited guests toasted Obama-mania and helped raise money for the United Way. Hail to the new U.S. president!

Inauguration night volunteer Vanessa Harrison.

Former CHCH TV senior anchor Dan McLean.

Hamilton mayor Fred Eisenberger and wife Diane.

LEFT: Inauguration night guest volunteer Abigail Santos.

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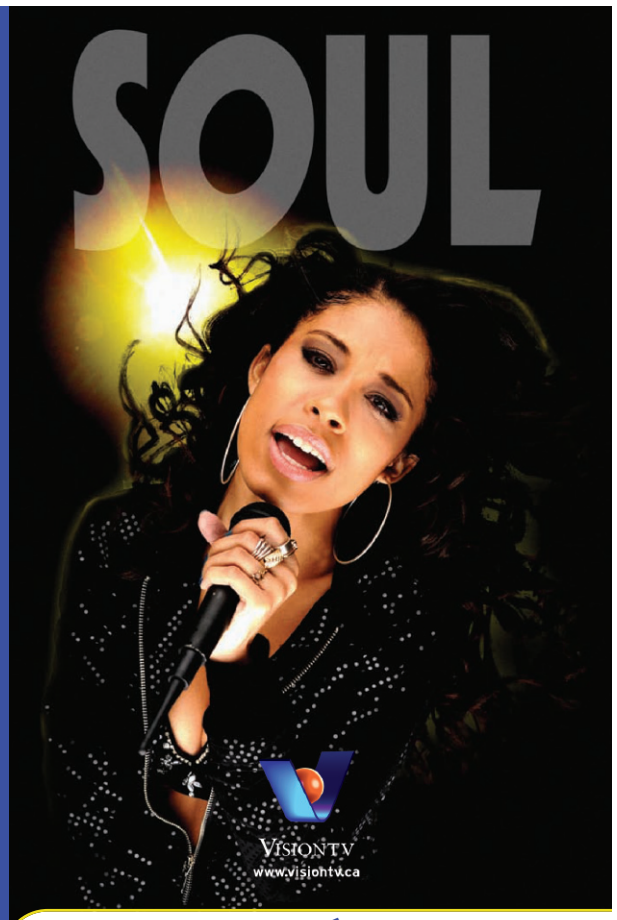

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St. John's will host 2010 Junos

The Canadian Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences (CARAS) along with broadcast partner, CTV, announced yesterday that St. John's, N.L., will host the 2010 JUNO Awards. METRO NEWS SERVICES

Going Out

Revamped Jersey Boys

Toronto's largely Canadian cast is a knockout

If, for some crazy reason, you still haven't caught up with the hit Dancap production of Jersey Boys at the Toronto Centre for the Arts, or if you'd been wondering if you should pay it a second visit, then wait no longer.

BRIAN SUMMERS PHOTO

The new mostly Canadian Jersey Boys cast, from left, Quinn VanAntwerp, Jeff Madden, Jeremy Kushnier and Michael Lomenda.

The new, largely Canadian cast that opened Tuesday night is a knockout: The best of the five companies I've seen across North America.

There's something exciting about watching a performer you've seen for a long time make that extra leap into stardom, and that's what happens to Jeff Madden in the role of Frankie Valli, the soaring, angel-voiced crooner who gave The Four Seasons their distinctive pop sound over 40 years ago. Madden has been a staple of the Shaw Festival for years, performing with polish and distinction, but who would have guessed that he had such a hard-edged, mean-streets, Jersey kind of guy lurking inside him?

Of all the Frankie Vallis that I've seen, he's the only one who doesn't seem a bit too nice and sentimental for the tough career choices his character has to make as the evening goes on.

Yeah, Madden may sing like one of the seraphim, but there's more than just a touch of Lucifer in his eyes. Watch the tightly coiled way he performs Sergio Trujillo's period-perfect choreography and you'll see a man waiting to break loose on many levels.

His singing voice is sweetly flawless, but that's no surprise from Madden. What will make you stand up and take notice is the wiseguy mantle he slips into as tightly as one of his designer Italian suits.

Madden's success, however, is not a solo one. Thankfully, Jeremy Kushnier is still around as Tommy DeVito and his work grows more richly detailed with each viewing.

With the merest lift of an eyebrow or snap of a finger, Kushnier knows how to convey the external disdain masking internal turmoil at the heart of his character. As always, one is grateful for the energy he brings to the top of the show, narrating it with such breakneck speed that there's no time to draw breath.

Kudos also to Michael Lomenda, who takes the potentially thankless part of Nick Masi and fills it with rich comedy and vividly felt anger.

TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Mix of Six

Chinese New Year Spring Carnival

When: Friday, Saturday and Sunday
Where: Rogers Centre, 1 Blue Jays Way.

The Year of the Ox is being rung in with a Chinese flower market, Shaolin Kung Fu demonstrations, Good Fortune parades, modern martial arts, gala concerts and more. Call 647-746-3333 for tickets.

Robert Burns Day

When: Sunday, 2 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Where: Royal Ontario Museum, 100 Queen's Park

The ROM celebrates the 250th birthday of Scotland's national poet with Scottish dance, poetry readings and music. There will also be a ceremonial arrival of the haggis.

The Killers

When: Friday, 7:30 p.m.
Where: Air Canada Centre, 40 Bay St.

Brandon Flowers and the rest of the American band perform at the ACC to support their newest release, Day & Age. Tickets are $42.50 to $59.50. Call 416-870-8000.

Globehead Improv Tournament

When: Friday and Saturday
Where: Bad Dog Theatre, 138 Danforth Ave.

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Where: Massey Hall, 178 Victoria

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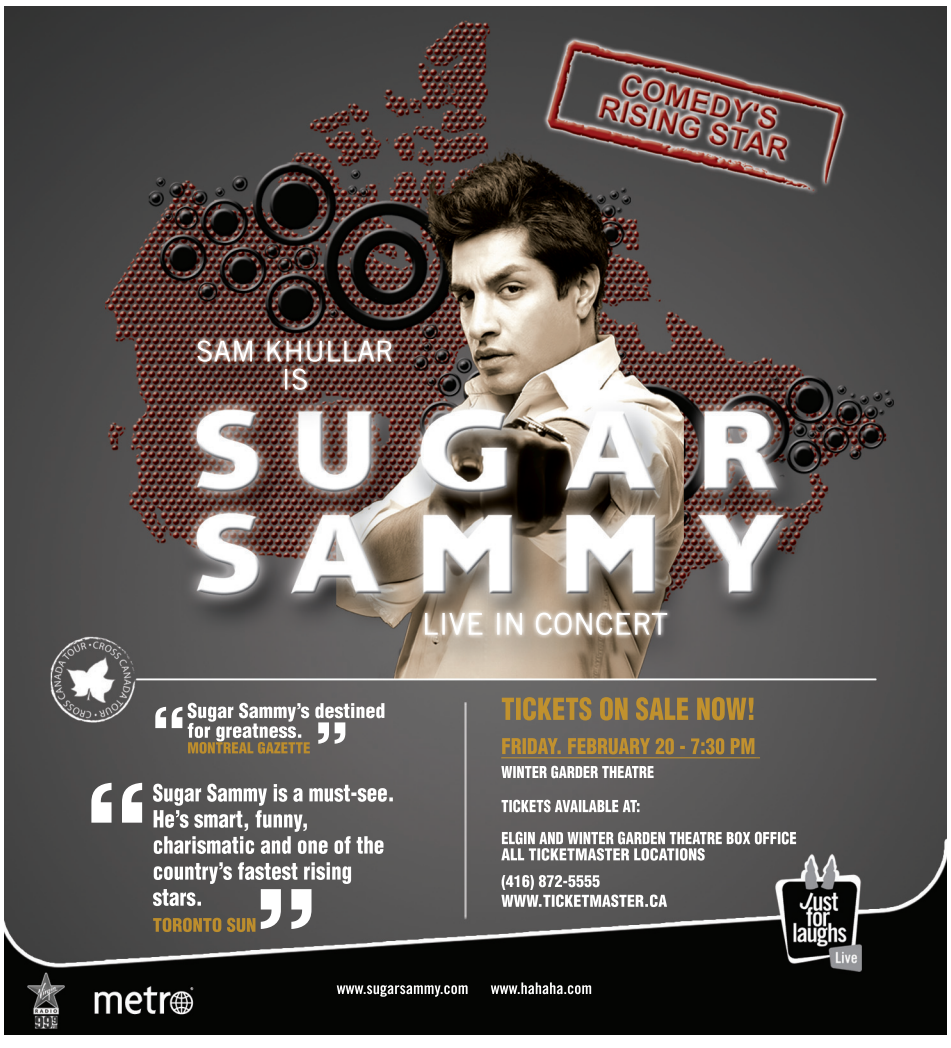

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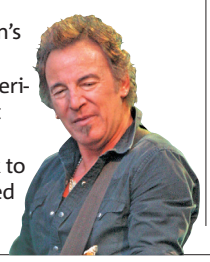
Going Out

Metro's 7th Heaven: Metro taps what's hot right now

1 Bruce Springsteen
As the new boss — Barack Obama, that is — settles down in his job, the real Boss returns to business with this presciently titled album, Working on a Dream. With the U.S. finally getting a little love from the rest of the world, Springsteen's majestic slice of Americana might just be the soundtrack to the renewed romance.



2 Amy Winehouse
Has she found a new love? Will hubby Blake Fielder-Civil dump her? Has she really cleaned up? Stack up the popcorn and stay tuned.

3 Slumdog Millionaire
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button might be the Oscar frontrunner, but Slumdog's still the popular puppy. This rags-to-riches tale will probably be the most fun you'll have at the theatres now.

4 Heineken
Women have the walk-in closet. And, now thanks to this Dutch commercial, men have the walk-in beer cooler. YouTube it and watch it for yourself.

5 Honda Insight
This revamped hybrid was recently unveiled at the Detroit and Montreal auto shows. Claiming to be the cheapest of its kind, the Insight may just make green driving affordable for someone besides George Clooney.

6 Washington D.C.
Has the hub of world power ever looked this sexy? Granted, you may never catch a glimpse of the O-Man himself, but with free entries to most major attractions, this city is the place to go.

7 Obama books:
• Dreams from my Father: A Story of Race and Inheritance, by Barack Obama
• Barack Obama: Son of Promise, Child of Hope, by Nikki Grimes.

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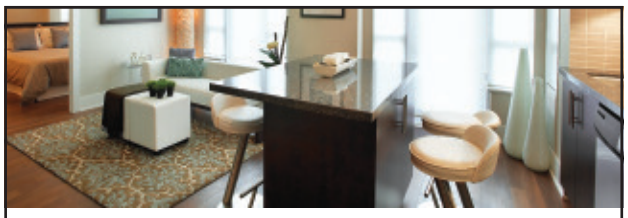
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Going Away

A world of cruise options awaits

Nowadays, you can choose from a vast range of offerings

ROMINA McGUINNESS
Metro World News

If you still think cruises are all about retired couples and shuffleboard, you're hopelessly out of date. Today, cruise-goers can pick from a seemingly endless array of routes, dazzling ships and themes. Here are just a few notable options:

Pure Fantasy

Point of Anchor: MSC Cruises; The Fantasia, Genoa, Italy: Recently launched by Italian movie star Sofia Loren, the Fantasia is the Paris Hilton of cruise ships; showy, glitzy and yet utterly glamorous. You should barely notice the 4,000-passenger capacity thanks to intimate yacht-like atmosphere. Leave your kids in the North Pole-themed playroom while you pamper yourself in the spa — the Q-Frequency machine that promises to wipe out cellulite, fat deposits and stretch marks.

Rock your boat: For a hefty upcharge per week, you'll get the key to one of the 99 restricted VIP suites of the MSC yacht club. Order chilled Dom Perignon champagne from your personal butler and walk down the Swarovski crystal-studded corridors to one of the secluded hot tubs or private lounges.

All aboard: The Fantasia seven-day Mediterranean cruise leaves from the Italian port town of Genoa, stopping off the shores of Sicily, Tunisia, Spain and France.

Info: mscfantasia.com

Around the world

Point of Anchor: Cunard Cruises; The Queen Mary 2, New York: One of the last remaining old-school cruise liners is the lavishly built Queen Mary 2. You and the other 2,620 passengers will embark on a 106-day cruise around the world. Over the course of the journey, you'll visit more than 15 maiden ports, anchoring off the shores of China or disembarking to sand-surf over the golden dunes of Dubai. You can also do a spot of surfing in Honolulu or haggle for jewelery in the bustling souk of Oman.

Rock your boat: The QM2 is a floating homage to its predecessor, the elegant QM1 cruise liner (which also carried troops throughout the Second World War). Drift back to another era as you enter the Grand Lobby, home of the largest ballroom floor at sea or by attending a performance at the Royal Court Theatre, whose shows rival ones in London's West End.

All aboard: World Cruise from Jan. 12 to Apr. 29, 2010.

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Above, The Queen Mary 2, left, the world's largest and most expensive luxury liner, sails near its namesake ship, the Queen Mary, for the first time in February 2006 at Long Beach, Calif.. The original Queen Mary, launched in 1934, has been permanently moored since 1967.

The Dahabeya Hadeel sails the River Nile.

Info: cunard.com

Diamond in the Sea

Point of Anchor: Fashion TV; The F-Diamond: Join the fashionistas on board Fashion TV's new 140-metre yacht, the F-Diamond, which can cater to parties of up to 1,000. It's not quite a front-row seat at a Chanel haute, couture show, but more of an excuse to gawp at scantily-clad catwalk models and not feel too bad about it. Hosting crazy fashion parties (which can be filmed for a post-party review) and skimpy bikini-shows, this is a cruise suited for people with a bit of a wild streak. Dance the night away on the upper deck, but save some adrenalin for the casino.

Rock your boat: Up to 50 international models compete onboard to become Miss FTV, and passengers can form part of the judging panel. Take it or leave it — this may be a one in a lifetime chance to be stranded in the middle of the ocean surrounded by 50 models.

All aboard: The F-TV cruise yacht makes interval stops at selected Mediterranean ports.

Info: ftv.com

Eager for Egypt

Point of Anchor: Right Travel, Dahabeya Hadeel, Nile River, Egypt: Sail the turquoise waters of the River Nile on board the Dahabeya Hadeel. Discover the rich cultural heritage of Egypt whilst taking time to relax on the sailboat. Over the course of eight days, you'll see many of Egypt's most spectacular sights, including the Philae Temple, the Colossi of Memnom and the city of Edfu, where you'll see the Temple of Horus.

Rock your boat: All these historical facts and sights may enrich your cultural knowledge, but at the end of the day, nothing really beats a bit of mindless fun. Hop off the sailboat and onto a camel or donkey when you stop off in El Kab one Egypt's oldest cities.

Info: right-travel.com

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Mendes is most desirable woman, says poll
Eva Mendes has been named the most desirable woman of 2009 by AskMen.com, femalefirst.co.uk reports. The Spirit actress topped a poll of men who were asked to name their ideal woman. METRO NEWS SERVICES

Celebrity Buzz

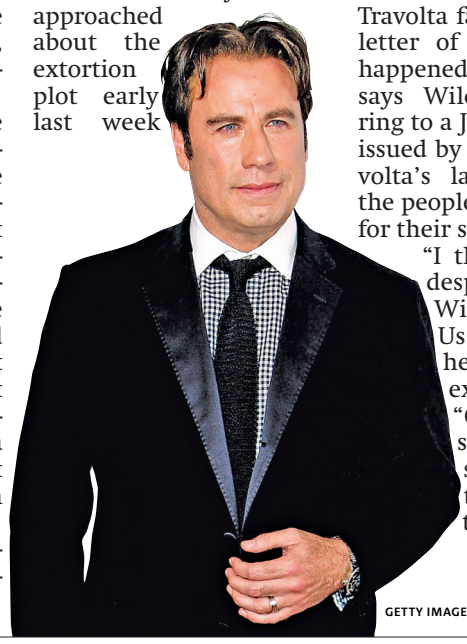
Police investigate extortion attempt

INVESTIGATION Police in the Bahamas have launched an investigation surrounding an attempt to extort money from John Travolta's family, Obie Wilchcombe, a member of the Bahamian Parliament, confirmed to Us-magazine.com.

The full details of the plot have not been released, but Us magazine quotes Wilchcombe as saying only one person — not two, which has been reported — is involved. A Bahamian newspaper, The Tribune, has suggested that the extortion attempt is connected to the recent loss of 16-year-old Jett Travolta, who died of a seizure disorder Jan. 2 at the family's vacation home in the Bahamas.

Wilchcombe denied reports that the person behind the plot is a politician. "The lawyer who brought the situation to my attention is a politician," he clarifies.

Wilchcombe says he was approached about the extortion plot early last week and passed along the information to Travolta's lawyers, Michael Ossi and Michael McDermott, us-magazine.com adds.



"The irony was that the Travolta family just sent a letter of gratitude — it happened that afternoon," says Wilchcombe, referring to a Jan. 12 statement issued by McDermott, Travolta's lawyer, thanking the people of the Bahamas for their support.

"I thought it was a despicable act," Wilchcombe tells Us when he first heard news of the extortion plot. "One person should not destroy the character of the country."

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Aniston turning 40

PEOPLE Jennifer Aniston is planning a star-studded 40th birthday party, femalefirst.co.uk reports.

The former Friends actress, who reaches the landmark age on Feb. 11, wants to celebrate early with a lavish bash at her new Beverly Hills home on Feb. 7.

The guest list will include Jennifer's boyfriend John Mayer, her close pal Courteney Cox and her husband David Arquette and singer Sheryl Crow.

It is believed the actress is planning the early festivities because John wants to take her away for a romantic break for her actual birthday.

The pair will leave for their intimate getaway — which will also take in Valentine's Day — straight after the party.

Rumours are rife that John is set to propose on Jennifer's big day, and has splashed out on a custom-made engagement ring for her.

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Perry takes vow of celibacy?

RUMOUR Katy Perry is taking a vow of celibacy, femalefirst.co.uk reports.

The I Kissed a Girl singer has revealed she won't be smooching anyone this year, after splitting from Gym Class Heroes frontman Travis McCoy.

When Grammy-nominated Katy, 24, was asked who she would like to kiss at the upcoming awards, she said: "I've actually taken a vow of celibacy this year ... no kissing anyone.

"Just my cat, Kitty Purry."

Katy and Travis' two-year romance is believed to have ended amid a flurry of arguments.

A source said: "It's sad, but they were fighting a lot in recent months because they never saw each other."

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Oprah celebrates with Obamas

PEOPLE While she might not have hosted a fancy inauguration party herself, Oprah Winfrey did get to celebrate the occasion with Barack and Michelle Obama.

According to the Chicago Sun-Times, the new president and first lady capped off their big day just before 1 a.m. with a private champagne toast at the White House with a very select group of friends — including Winfrey.

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Federline packs on the pounds

HEALTH Kevin Federline appears to have packed on major pounds, usmagazine.com reports.

He showed off a fuller figure while golfing with a pal in Los Angeles Tuesday. His ex Shar Jackson explained to Us magazine last March that the 31-year-old rapper (who looked chunky last year) 31, had "daddy weight! When you are a full time parent, sometimes you can't focus on you."

Meanwhile, Federline's romance with volleyball player Victoria Prince, 26, seems to be heating up.

TMZ.com reports that she took Sean Preston, 3, and Jayden James, 2, out for dinner in Fresno, Calif., over the weekend.

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Hudson set to be back in spotlight

CAREER After dropping out of the public eye following her family murder tragedy, Jennifer Hudson now has the strength and the will to give three high-profile performances next month, a source close to her tells People magazine.

"So much has happened, but she's ready," people.com quotes the source as saying. "It's a new year, she's excited about performing again. She knew it was time."

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Depp's partner returns engagement ring

RELATIONSHIP Johnny Depp's long-term partner Vanessa Paradis has returned an engagement ring he bought her, people.com reports.

The Pirates of the Caribbean star was recently spotted shopping for the band in California, but Vanessa — who he has been with for 10 years — reportedly took it back as she was unhappy with the design.

A source said: "Johnny got Vanessa a drop-dead gorgeous engagement band but she returned it to the jeweller. She wants her ring to be absolutely perfect."

The couple — who have two children, Lily-Rose, nine, and six-year-old Jack, together — are yet to officially announce they are planning to tie the knot, but are rumoured to be marrying in April.

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Kardashian happy about Razzie

CAREER For Kim Kardashian, it's great just to be nominated — even if it is for a Razzie, people.com reports.

"I'm having a really good laugh," the actress writes on her blog. "I had so much fun filming Disaster Movie and giggled the entire time during the shoot."

The reality star, 28, ends her post with an emphatic "LOL!"

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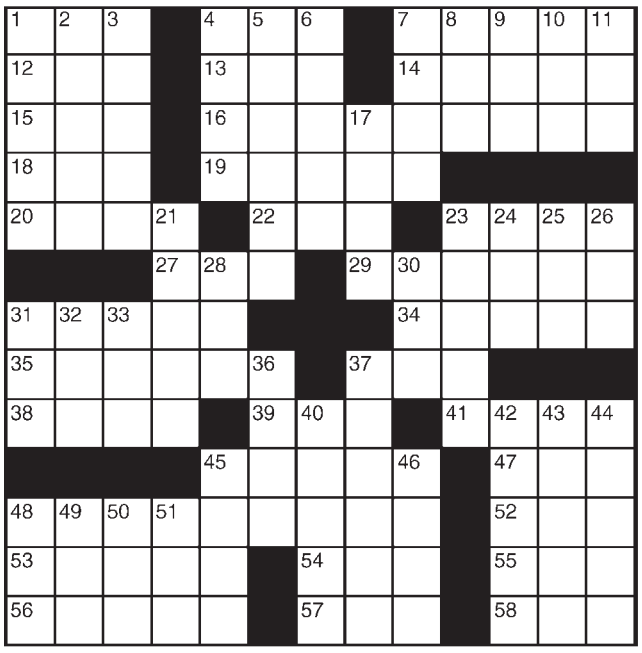

Crossword across

1 Hot tub
4 Chances, for short
7 Blubbers
12 Dress (up)
13 Dance flourish
14 Say one's piece
15 Lord's Prayer start
16 Noted newsweekly, with "The"
18 Lemieux milieu
19 Toaster's word
20 Masticate
22 Screw up
23 Test the waters
27 Choose
29 December stone
31 Point of view
34 Dastardly one
35 Chat
37 Fool
38 Authentic
39 Every iota
41 Drink too much
45 Thwart
47 Upper limit
48 1969 Fellini movie
52 Greek vowel
53 Bewildered
54 Rd.
55 Solidify
56 Energetic
57 Wrangler rival
58 Skill

Crossword down

1 Unemotional
2 Joey's place?
3 Match
4 Wordsworth works
5 Type of fence
6 Animal track
7 "Groovy"
8 Spinning meas.
9 Midafternoon, on a sundial
10 Em halves
11 Collection
17 Bygone game-show host Jack
21 "The Right Stuff" author
23 Watch this space?
24 Expert
25 "SNL" announcer Pardo
26 Remnant
28 Shell game item
30 Conditions
31 Performance
32 Neither mate
33 Wildebeest
36 Indonesian island
37 Niche
40 Lifelong resident
42 Alpha's antithesis
43 Dad, in Devonshire
44 Put on a pedestal
45 Talk like 37-Across?
46 Banjo supporter
48 Chucklehead
49 Foolhardiness personified
50 1/6 fl. oz.
51 "Uh-huh"

Sudoku

HOW TO PLAY: Digits 1 through 9 will appear once in each zone – one zone is an outlined 3x3 grid within the larger puzzle grid. There are nine zones in the puzzle. Do not enter a digit into a box if it already appears elsewhere in the same zone, row across or column down the entire puzzle.

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Metro Recipe of the Day

Cornish Beef Pockets

PASTRY INGREDIENTS:
3 1/3 cups (825 ml) plain flour
Salt
1/2 lb (250 g) butter, chilled and diced

FILLING INGREDIENTS:
11 oz (350 g) lean chuck steak, diced
1 onion, chopped
1 potato, peeled and diced
6 oz (175 g), butternut squash, peeled and diced
1 1/2 tbsp (20 ml) beef stock
2 tbsp (25 ml) chopped fresh parsley
Salt and pepper
Beaten egg, to brush
1 garlic clove, chopped
3/4 in. (2 cm) piece fresh ginger, peeled and chopped
1 red chili pepper, seeded and chopped

METHOD:
1. Pastry: Sift flour and pinch of salt into large bowl. Rub in butter with fingertips until mixture resembles breadcrumbs. Sprinkle 6 tbsp (90 ml) chilled water over mixture, then mix in. If dough seems dry, add more water. Gather dough then lightly knead until smooth. Wrap in plastic and refrigerate 20 minutes before using.
2. Filling: Put steak, onion, potato, squash, stock and parsley in bowl. Season with salt and pepper and mix well.
3. Preheat oven to 400 F (200 C). Divide pastry into eight pieces. Roll out each to an 8-in. (20-cm) round.
4. Spoon equal amounts of filling onto centre of each pastry round. Brush edges with egg, then bring together at top. Press edges firmly together to seal, then crimp.
5. Place pockets on two non-stick baking trays. Brush with beaten egg. Make small holes in tops to let steam out.
6. Bake 15 minutes. Reduce heat to 325 F (160 C); cook 45 minutes to 1 hour, until pastry is golden and filling is cooked. Serve hot, warm or cold.

SERVES 8

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Horoscopes

AVATAR VENUS

ARIES
MARCH 21-APRIL 20
You'll disagree with a practical person. Problems may thwart your plan to meet someone. Don't insist on talking about flirtations.

TAURUS
APRIL 21-MAY 21
Laughing is better than arguing with a misery-guts. Try to understand that a woman is tempted. Have fun with an old friend.

GEMINI
MAY 22-JUNE 21
A non-stop talker will stand up for you. Nobody can diminish your high spirits. Change your routines to avoid seeing a jerk.

CANCER
JUNE 22-JULY 22
Take a thrilling new direction after a phone call. Water problems can cause distress. Don't be hoodwinked by momentary rewards.

LEO
JULY 23-AUG 23
People will be riled up by unreliable gossip. Be careful what you put in e-mails. Exhaustion has unforeseen consequences.

VIRGO
AUG 24-SEPT 22
A flirtation will result from a strong emotional connection. Your heart's desire can be fulfilled. Dreadful behaviour will cause you to feel insecure.

LIBRA
SEPT 23-OCT 23
You'll advise someone to avoid taking risks. Find the strength to speak out about respect. Quiet moments will ease your weary spirit.

SCORPIO
OCT 24-NOV 22
Your nurturing strengthens a weak man. Your daily life is being challenged by a stupid mistake. There'll be no secret messages.

SAGITTARIUS
NOV 23-DEC 21
A breathtaking adventure will change your outlook. End an awkward situation immediately. You can have a good impact on an idiot.

CAPRICORN
DEC 22-JAN 20
You can be certain of a chance for glory. An interesting story will explain poor behaviour. You'll struggle to strengthen an emotional bond.

AQUARIUS
JAN 21-FEB 18
Don't lose sleep over a minor problem. You have the courage to do fascinating things. Take other people's wickedness into account.

PISCES
FEB 19-MARCH 20
A friend's defiance will result in more respect. Don't take chances with your health. An elder is suffering from embarrassment.

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